# IN THE UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT MIDDLE DISTRICT OF ALABAMA EASTERN DIVISION

IN RE:	)
JIMMY D. SAYLOR, & TAMMY M. SAYLOR, DEBTORS	) BANKRUPTCY CASE NUMBER: ) 02-80576 ) CHAPTER 13 CASE
JIMMY D. SAYLOR,	) = = = = = = = = = = = = = = = = = = =
PLAINTIFF,	3:07CV229-WKW
vs.	) A.P. #: 06-8035
SELECT PORTFOLIO SERVICING, INC.,	) )
DEFENDANT.	)

# NOTICE OF APPELLANT'S DESIGNATION OF ITEMS TO BE INCLUDED IN THE RECORD ON APPEAL

Comes now the Appellant, by and through the undersigned attorney, pursuant to Rule 8006 of the Federal Rules of Bankruptcy Procedure and presents his designation of items to be included in the record on appeal. The designation of items are as follows:

Item #1: Plaintiff's voluntary petition under Chapter 13.

Filed on April 29, 2002.

Identified on the records of the Clerk of Court in the underlying bankruptcy case as Docket

Entry No. 1.

Attached hereto as Exhibit "A".

Item #2: Plaintiff's Amended Chapter 13 Plan.

Filed on July 3, 2002.

Identified on the records of the Clerk of Court in the underlying bankruptcy case as Docket

Entry No. 24.

Attached hereto as Exhibit "B".

Item #3: The Bankruptcy Court Order confirming the Plaintiff's Chapter 13 Plan.

Entered of record on September 20, 2002.

Identified on the records of the Clerk of Court in the underlying bankruptcy case as Docket

Entry No. 29.

Attached hereto as Exhibit "C".

Item #4: Select Portfolio's First Motion For Relief from stay.

Filed on September 10, 2004.

Identified on the records of the Clerk of Court in the underlying bankruptcy case as Docket

Entry No. 31.

Attached hereto as Exhibit "D".

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Item #5: Court Order Conditionally Denying Motion for Relief from Stay as to Select Portfolio Servicing.

Entered of record on October 14, 2004.

Identified on the records of the Clerk of Court in the underlying bankruptcy case as Docket

Entry No. 33.

Attached hereto as Exhibit "E".

Item #6: Select Portfolio Proof of Claim No. 3-1.

Filed on August 2, 2002. Attached hereto as Exhibit "F".

Item #7: Select Portfolio Proof of Claim No. 8-1 filed by Fairbanks, now known as Select Portfolio

Servicing, Inc.

Filed on August 1, 2004. Attached hereto as Exhibit "G".

Item #8: Plaintiff's Initial Complaint Against Select Portfolio.

Filed on July 10, 2006.

Identified on the records of the Clerk of Court in Adversary Proceeding No. 06-08035 as

Docket Entry No. 1.

Attached hereto as Exhibit "H".

Item #9: Defendant's Motion to Dismiss.

Filed on August 10, 2006.

Identified on the records of the Clerk of Court in Adversary Proceeding No. 06-08035 as

Docket Entry No. 7.

Attached hereto as Exhibit "I".

Item #10. Defendant's Answer to Complaint.

Filed on August 30, 2006.

Identified on the records of the Clerk of Court in Adversary Proceeding No. 06-08035 as

Docket Entry No. 10.

Attached hereto as Exhibit "J".

Item #11: Defendant's Brief in Support of Motion to Dismiss.

Filed on August September 27, 2006.

Identified on the records of the Clerk of Court in Adversary Proceeding No. 06-08035 as

Docket Entry No. 11.

Attached hereto as Exhibit "K".

Item #12: Plaintiff's Brief in Response to Defendant's Motion to Dismiss.

Filed on October 19, 2006.

Identified on the records of the Clerk of Court in Adversary Proceeding No. 06-08035 as

Docket Entry No. 12.

Attached hereto as Exhibit "L".

Item #13: Plaintiff's Motion to Amend Complaint.

Filed on October 26, 2006.

Identified on the records of the Clerk of Court in Adversary Proceeding No. 06-08035 as

Docket Entry No. 14.

Attached hereto as Exhibit "M".

Court Order Granting Motion to Amend Complaint and Granting Additional Time to Brief Motion. Item #14:

Entered on record on October 1, 2006.

Identified on the records of the Clerk of Court in Adversary Proceeding No. 06-08035 as

Docket Entry No. 15.

Attached hereto as Exhibit "N".

Defendant's Response to First Amended Complaint. Item #15:

Filed on October 10, 2006.

Identified on the records of the Clerk of Court in Adversary Proceeding No. 06-08035 as

Docket Entry No. 16.

Attached hereto as Exhibit "O".

Item #16: Plaintiff's Amended Complaint.

Filed on November 13, 2006.

Identified on the records of the Clerk of Court in Adversary Proceeding No. 06-08035 as

Docket Entry No. 17.

Attached hereto as Exhibit "P".

Order Granting Motion to Dismiss Adversary Proceeding. Item #17:

Filed on January 12, 2007.

Identified on the records of the Clerk of Court in Adversary Proceeding No. 06-08035 as

Docket Entry No. 19.

Attached hereto as Exhibit "Q".

Memorandum Decision / Opinion. Item #18:

Filed on January 12, 2007.

Identified on the records of the Clerk of Court in Adversary Proceeding No. 06-08035 as

Docket Entry No. 20.

Attached hereto as Exhibit "R".

Plaintiff's Motion to Alter or Amend Judgment. Item #19:

Filed on January 19, 2007.

Identified on the records of the Clerk of Court in Adversary Proceeding No. 06-08035 as

Docket Entry No. 21.

Attached hereto as Exhibit "S".

Order Denying Motion to Reconsider. Item #20:

Filed on February 15, 2007.

Identified on the records of the Clerk of Court in Adversary Proceeding No. 06-08035 as

Docket Entry No. 24.

Attached hereto as Exhibit "T".

Dated this <u>1</u> day of March, 2007.

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**BROCK & STOUT** 

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### **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I, the undersigned hereby certify that I have this date served a copy of the foregoing upon Michael E. Bybee, Esq., Attorney for Appellee, 2107 E. Fifth Ave. N., Suite 200, Birmingham, Alabama 35203, <a href="mailto:mbybee1@bellsouth.net">mbybee1@bellsouth.net</a>, via United States Mail postage prepaid and fully addressed or by electronic mail this <a href="mailto:2007">2<sup>nd</sup></a> day of March, 2007.

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EXHIBIT "A"

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Location Where Filed: MIDDLE DISTRICT OF ALABAMA	Case Number: 00~03172	Date Filed: 6/19/00
	Spouse, Partner, or Affiliate of this Debtor (if more th	an one, attach additional sheet)
Name of Debtor: NONE	Case Number:	Date Filed:
Distriot:	Relationship:	Judge:
	Signatures	
Signature(s) of Debtor(s) (Individual/Joir		tor (Corporate/Partnership)
I declare under penalty of perjury that the information petition is true and correct.  [If petitioner is an individual whose debts are primarily of and has chosen to file under chapter 7] I am aware that under chapter 7,11,12 or 13 of title 11, United States Cotthe relief available under each such chapter, and choose under chapter 7.	petition is true and correct and petition on behalf of the debtor ode, understand to to proceed  The debtor requests relief in a United States Code, specified	ccordance with the chapter of title 11,
I request relief in accordance with the chapter of title 11 States Code, specific in this petition.  Signature of Debtor	X Not Applicable Signature of Authorized Indiv	vidual
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Signature of Attorney  X  Signature of Attorney for Debtor(s)  DAVID S. CLARK  Printed Name of Attorney for Debtor(s)  BROCK & STOUT  Firm Name  P.O BOX 1586  Address  OPELIKA, AL 36803-1586	l certify that I am a bankruptoy	
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# UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT Middle District of Alabama Eastern Division

In re: JIMMY D. SAYLOR 421-98-0227

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TAMMIE N. SAYLOR 416-17-2037

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### APPLICATION TO PAY FILING FEES IN INSTALLMENTS

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### UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT

### Middle District of Alabama Eastern Division

In re: JIMMY D. SAYLOR 421-98-0227 TAMMIE N. SAYLOR 416-17-2037

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### ORDER APPROVING PAYMENT OF FILING FEES IN INSTALLMENTS

IT IS ORDERED that the debtor(s) may pay the filing fee in installments on the terms set forth in the foregoing application.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that until the filing fee is paid in full the debtor shall not pay any money for services in connection with this case, and the debtor shall not relinquish any property as payment for services in connection with this case.

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### United States Bankruptcy Court Notice To Individual Consumer Debtor

The purpose of this notice is to acquaint you with the four chapters of the federal Bankruptcy Code under which you may file a bankruptcy petition. The bankruptcy law is complicated and not easily described. Therefore, you should seek the advice of an attorney to learn of your rights and responsibilities under the law should you decide to file a petition with the court. Court employees are prohibited from giving you legal advice.

## Chapter 7: Liquidation (\$200.00 filing fee plus \$700.00 administrative fee plus \$0.00 trustee surcharge)

- 1. Chapter 7 is designed for debtors in financial difficulty who do not have the ability to pay their existing debts.
- Under chapter 7 a trustee takes possession of all your property. You may claim certain of your property as exempt under governing law. The trustee then liquidates the property and uses the proceeds to pay your creditors according to priorities of the Bankruptcy Code.
- 3. The purpose of filing a chapter 7 case is to obtain a discharge of your existing debts. If, however, you are found to have committed certain kinds of improper conduct described in the Bankruptcy Code, your discharge may be denied by the court, and the purpose for which you filed the bankruptcy petition will be defeated.
  - 4. Even if you receive a discharge, there are some debts that are not discharged under the law. Therefore, you may still be responsible for such debts as certain taxes and student loans, alimony and support payments, oriminal restitution, and debts for death or personal injury caused by driving while intoxicated from alcohol or drugs.
  - 5. Under certain circumstances you may keep property that you have purchased subject to a valid security interest. Your attorney can explain the options that are available to you.

## Chapter 13: Repayment of All or Part of the Debts of an Individual with Regular Income (\$185.00 filing fee plus \$1300.00 administrative fee)

- 1. Chapter 13 is designed for individuals with regular income who are temporarily unable to pay their debts but would like to pay them in installments over a period of time. You are only eligible for chapter 13 if your debts do not exceed certain dollar amounts set forth in the Bankruptoy Code.
- 2. Under chapter 13 you must file a plan with the court to repay your creditors all or part of the money that you owe them, using your future earnings.
  Usually, the period allowed by the court to repay your debts is three years, but no more than five years. Your plan must be approved by the court before it can take effect.
- 3. Under chapter 13, unlike chapter 7, you may keep all your property, both exempt and non-exempt, as long as you continue to make payments under the plan.
  - 4. After completion of payments under your plan, your debts are discharged except alimony and support payments, student loans, certain debts including criminal fines and restitution and debts for death or personal injury caused by driving while intoxicated from alcohol or drugs, and long term secured obligations.

#### Chapter 11: Reorganization (\$800.00 filing fee)

Chapter 11 is designed primarily for the reorganization of a business but is also available to consumer debtors. Its provisions are quite complicated, and any decision by an individual to file a chapter 11 petition should be reviewed with an attorney.

### Chapter 12: Family Farmer (\$200.00 filling fee)

I the debtor, affirm that I have read this notice

Chapter 12 is designed to permit family farmers to repay their debts over a period of time from future earnings and is in many ways similar to a chapter 13. The eligibility requirements are restrictive, limiting its use to those whose income arises primarily from a family owned farm.

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### SUMMARY OF SCHEDULES

#### AMOUNTS SCHEDULED

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	NAME OF SCHEDULE	ATTACHED (YES/NO)	NUMBER OF SHEETS	ASSETS	LIABILITIES	OTHER
Α -	Real Property	YES	1	\$ 50,920.00		
В -	Personal Property	YES	2	\$ 4,575.00		
C -	Property Claimed As Exempt	YES	1			
D -	Creditors Holding Secured Claims	YES	1		\$ 63,804.95	
E -	Creditors Holding Unsecured Priority Claims	YES	2		\$ 53.01	
F-	Creditors Holding Unsecured Nonpriority Claims	YES	4		\$ 33,736.31	
G -	Executory Contracts and Unexpired Leases	YES	1			
Н -	Codebtors	YES	1			
1 -	Current Income of Individual Debtor(s)	YES	1			\$ 2,218.33
J -	Current Expenditures of Individual Debtor(s)	YES	1			\$ 2,036.72
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# SCHEDULE A - REAL PROPERTY

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DESCRIPTION AND LOCATION OF PROPERTY	NATURE OF DEBTOR'S INTEREST IN PROPERTY	HUSB. WIFE JOINT OR COMM.	CURRENT MARKET VALUE OF DEBTOR'S INTEREST IN PROPERTY WITHOUT DEDUCTING ANY SECURED CLAIM OR EXEMPTION	AMOUNT OF SECURED CLAIM
LOT LOCATED IN HARRIS COUNTY, GEORGIA	Fee Owner	J	400.00	0.0
MOBILE HOME AND LOT LOCATED AT 6911 LEE ROAD 390 OPELIKA, AL	Fee Owner	J	50,520.00	51,690.0
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TOTAL 50,920.00

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# SCHEDULE B - PERSONAL PROPERTY

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TYPE OF PROPERTY	DESCRIPTION AND LOCATION OF PROPERTY	HUSB. WIFE JOINT OR COMM.	CURRENT MARKET VALUE OF DEBTOR'S INTEREST IN PROPERTY WITHOUT DEDUCTING ANY SECURED CLAIM OR EXEMPTION
1. Cash on hand.	CASH - ESTIMATED NOT TO BE MORE THAN	J	20.0
Checking, savings or other financial accounts, certificates of deposit, or share banks, savings and loan, thrift, building ar loan, and homestead associations, or credunions, brokerage houses, or cooperative	d   lit		0.0
Security deposits with public utilities, telephone companies, landlords, and other	rs. NONE		0.0
Household goods and furnishings, including audio, video, and computer equipment.	9 HOUSEHOLD GOODS	J	800.0
	VACUUM CLEANER	J	200.0
	WATER FILTER	J	800.0
Books, pictures and other art objects, antiques, stamp, coin, record, tape, comp disc, and other collections or collectibles.	BOOKS AND PICTURES	J	75.0
6. Wearing apparel.	CLOTHING	J	200.0
7. Furs and lewelry.	JEWELRY	J	50.0
Firearms and sports, photographic, and other hobby equipment.	SPORTS AND HOBBY EQUIPMENT	J	30.0
Interests in insurance policies. Name insurance company of each policy and itemize surrender or refund value of each.	NONE		0.0
10. Annuities, Itemize and name each issuer	NONE		0.0
Interests in IRA, ERISA, Keogh, or other pension or profit sharing plans. Itemize.	NONE		0.0
12. Stock and interests in incorporated and unincorporated businesses. Itemize.	NONE		0.0
Interests in partnerships or joint ventures. Itemize.	NONE		0.0
14. Government and corporate bonds and off negotiable and non-negotiable instrument	er NONE		0.0
15. Accounts Receivable.	NONE		0.0
<ol> <li>Alimony, maintenance, support and proper settlements to which the debtor is or may entitled. Give particulars.</li> </ol>	nty NONE		0.0
<ol> <li>Other liquidated debts owing debtor including tax refunds. Give details.</li> </ol>	NONE		0.0
Equitable or future interests, life estates, and rights or powers exercisable for the benefit of the debtor other than those listed in the Schedule of Real Property.	t [		0.0

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Contingent and non-contingent interest in estate of a decedent, death benefit plan, life insurance policy, or trust.	NONE		0
Other contingent and unliquidated claims of any nature, including tax refunds, counterclaims of the debtor, and rights to setoff claims. Give estimated value of each.	NONE		0.
21. Patents, copyrights, and other intellectual property. Give estimated value of each.	NONE		0.
22. Licenses, franchises, and other general intangibles. Give particulars.	NONE		0.1
23. Automobiles, trucks, trailers, and other vehicles and accessories.	NONE		0.1
24. Boats, motors, and accessories.	NONE .		0.
25. Aircraft and accessories.	NONE		. 0.1
26. Office equipment, furnishings, and supplies.	NONE		0.0
27. Machinery, fixtures, equipment, and supplies.	NONE		0.
28. Inventory.	NONE		0.
29. Animals.	NONE		0.
30. Crops - growing or harvested. Give particulars.	NONE		0.
31. Farming equipment and implements.	NONE		0.
32. Farm supplies, chemicals, and feed.	NONE		0.
33. Other personal property of any kind not already listed, itemize.	1989 CHEVROLET CONVERSION VAN (218,000+ MILES + MILES)	J	2,400.

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# SCHEDULE C - PROPERTY CLAIMED AS EXEMPT

Debtor elects the exemption to which debtor is entitled under:

[] 11 U.S.C. § 522(b)(1)

Exemptions provided in 11 U.S.C. § 522(d). Note: These exemptions are available only in certain states.

[X] 11 U.S.C. § 522(b)(2)

Exemptions available under applicable nonbankruptcy federal laws, state or local law where the debtor's domicile has been located for the 180 days immediately preceding the filing of the petition, or for a longer portion of the 180-day period than in any other place, and the debtor's interest as a tenant by the entirety or joint tenant to the extent the interest is exempt from process under applicable nonbankruptcy law.

CURRENT MARKET VALUE OF PROPERTY WITHOUT DEDUCTING EXEMPTIONS	VALUE OF CLAIMED EXEMPTION	PECIFIC LAW OVIDING EACH EXEMPTION	PR	DESCRIPTION OF PROPERTY
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20.0	20.00	6-10-6	Ala. Code	CASH - ESTIMATED NOT TO BE MORE THAN
200.0	200.00	6-10-6	Ala. Code	CLOTHING
800.0	800.00	6-10-6	Ala. Code	HOUSEHOLD GOODS
50.0	50.00	6-10-6	Ala. Code	JEWELRY
50,520.0	0.00	6-10-2	Ala. Code	MOBILE HOME AND LOT LOCATED AT 6911 LEE ROAD 390 OPELIKA, AL
30.0	30.00	6-10-6	Ala. Code	SPORTS AND HOBBY EQUIPMENT
200.0	0.00	6-10-6	Ala. Code	VACUUM CLEANER
800.0	0.00	6-10-6	Ala. Code	WATER FILTER

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# Schedule D - Creditors Holding Secured Claims

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# Schedule E - Creditors Holding Unsecured Priority Claims

TYPE OF PRIORITY: Taxes and other certain debts owed to governmental units

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# Schedule F - Creditors Holding Unsecured Nonpriority Claims

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ACCT. NO. E509939  ARL / LABSOUTH P.O. BOX 4600 MONTGOMERY, AL 36103	NO	W	MEDICAL SERVICES	UNLIQUIDATED	39,1
ACCT NO SAYLOR  B&B PAWNBROKERS 1721 PEPPERELL PKWY. OPELIKA, AL 36801	ИО	H	DÉFICIENCY	UNLIQUIDATED	1,000.0
ACCT. NO. DV 02-1  BRIDGESTONE/FRESTONE C/O JOHN MARK PADGETT PO BOX 248 ALEXANDER CITY, AL 35010	NO	J	2001 DEFICIENCY	UNLIQUIDATED	3,572.;
ACCT NO. 2023860  CREDIT BUREAU OF MONT. P.O. BOX 230609 MONTGOMERY, AL 36123	NO	H	MEDICAL SERVICES	UNLIQUIDATED	67.(
ACCT. NO. 548272  EAMC EMERGENCY ROOM P.O. BOX 2858 OPELIKA, AL 36803	NO	H	MEDICAL SERVICES	UNLIQUIDATED	19.1
ACCT. NO. 9820602  EAST ALABAMA MEDICAL 2000 PEPPERELL PARKWAY OPELIKA, AL. 36802	NO	H	MEDICAL SERVICES	UNIJQUIDATED	807.

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ACCT. NO. 9907400322  EAST ALABAMA MEDICAL 2000 PEPPERELL PARKWAY OPELIKA, AL. 36802	МО	Ħ	MEDICAL SERVICES	UNLIQUIDATED	259.2
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ACCT. NO. 9910400134  EAST ALABAMA MEDICAL 2000 PEPPERELL PARKWAY OPELIKA, AL. 36802	МО	W	MEDICAL SERVICES	UNLIQUIDATED	2,252.0
ACCT. NO. 218.17  EAST ALABAMA MEDICAL 2000 PEPPERELL PARKWAY OPELIKA, AL. 36802	NO	H	MEDICAL SERVICES	UNLIQUIDATED	218.1
ACCT. NO. 636398  EAST ALABAMA MEDICAL C/O THE SSI GROUP P.O. BOX 9817 MOBILE, AL 36691	NO	J	MEDICAL SERVICES	UNLIQUIDATED	3,181.8
ACCT. NO. 467784  EAST ALABAMA MEDICAL C/O THE SSI GROUP P.O. BOX 9817 MOBILE, AL 36691	NO .	H	MEDICAL SERVICES	UNILIQUIDATED	1,817.7
ACCT. NO. 2633496  EAST ALABAMA UROLOGY C/O MORTGAGE CREDIT P.O. BOX 6441 DOTHAN, AL 36302-6441	NO	H	MEDICAL SERVICES	UNLIQUIDATED	69.0
ACCT. NO. FEDERAL ASSURANCE CORP 1803 MARKET STREET OPELIKA, AL 36801	ŇO		ACCOUNT DEFICIENCY	UNLIQUIDATED	6,500.0

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ACCT. NO. 55763	NO	H			
INTERNAL MEDICINE ASSOC. 121 NORTH 20TH STREET OPELIKA, AL 36802			MEDICAL SERVICES	UNLIQUIDATED	136.0
ACCT. NO. SAYLOR	NO	H			
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ACCT. NO. 16200	NO	H			
LA GRANGE CEF 844 OLD HUTCHINSON MILL LA GRANGE, GA 30240			CREDIT PURCHASES	UNLIQUIDATED	3,518.6
ACCT. NO. 28147	NO	W			
LEE OBSTETRICS 121 NORTH 20TH STREET OPELIKA, AL 36802			MEDICAL SERVICES	UNLIQUIDATED	2,251.0
LEE OBSTETRICS C/O THE CBC GROUP P.O. BOX 4236 COLUMBUS, GA 31904-0236					
ACCT. NO. 078822	NO	W			
LEE PATEOLOGY LABORATORY 503 E. THOMASON DRIVE OPELIKA, AL 36801			MEDICAL SERVICES	UNLIQUIDATED	17.0
ACCT. NO. 598634	NO	J			
MONTGOMERY CREDIT BUREAU PO BOX 230609 MONTGOMERY, AL 36123-0609			MEDICAL BILL	UNLIQUIDATED	1,296.
ACCT. NO. 1142579	МО	Ŵ			
PEDIATRIC CLINIC 122 NORTH 20TH STREET BLDG. 23 OPELIKA, AL 36801			MEDICAL SERVICES	UNLIQUIDATED	374.

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ACCT. NO. 0660248200066SK SEARS C/O RECOVERY BUREAU P.O. BOX 950 SANTA CLARA, CA 91380 SEARS CARD	NO	H	CREDIT CARD	UMLIQUIDATED	3,106.:
P.O. BOX 105772 ATLANTA, GA 30353-5772  ACCT. NO. SOUTHERN LINC 2090 COLUMBIANA RD. #300 VESAVIA HILLS, AL 35216 SOUTHERN LINC C/O	МО	H	FEES	UNLIQUIDATED	534.4
ALEXANDER & HAMILTON 2618 EDENBORN AVENUE METAIRIE, LA 70002  ACCT. NO. 300166  SOUTHLAND TIRE 4228 MOBILE HIGHWAY MONTGOMERY, AL 36108	ЮЙ	H	CREDIT PURCHASES	UNLIQUIDATED	477.4
ACCT NO 548272HC  THE HEART CENTER P.O. BOX 2145 OPELIKA, AL 36803	NO	Н	MEDICAL SERVICES	UNLIQUIDATED	765.(
ACCT. NO. 1004440  THE ORTHOPEDIC CLINIC P.O. BOX 2125 OPELIKA, AL 36803-2125  THE ORTHOPEDIC CLINIC P.O. BOX 2125 OPELIKA, AL 36803-2125	МО	H	MEDICAL SERVICES	UNLIQUIDATED	219.(
ACCT NO. 46155  THE ORTHOPEDIC CLINIC C/O METRO SYSTEM P.O. BOX 4551 COLUMBUS, GA 31904-0551  THE ORTHOPEDIC CLINIC P.O. BOX 2125 OPELIKA, AL 36803-2125	NO	Ħ	MEDICAL SERVICES	UNLIQUIDATED	268.(

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 ACCT. NO. 00725763 WASHINGTON MUTUAL 3786 PEPPERELL PARKWAY	NO		SIGNATURE LOAN	UNLIQUIDATED	750.(
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# Schedule G - Executory Contracts and Unexpired Leases

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NAME AND MAILING ADDRESS, INCLUDING ZIP CODE, OF OTHER PARTIES TO LEASE OR CONTRACT

DESCRIPTION OF CONTRACT OR LEASE AND NATURE OF DEBTOR'S INTEREST, STATE WHETHER LEASE IS FOR NONRESIDENTIAL REAL PROPERTY. STATE CONTRACT NUMBER OF ANY GOVERNMENT CONTRACT

NONE

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### SCHEDULE H - CODEBTORS

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## Schedule I - Current Income Of Individual Debtor(s)

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pettor's Age: 36 pouse's Age: 26	NAMES CHEYENNE MCLINN ELISHA SAYLOR		AGE 4 9 MO.	RELATIONS DAUGHT: SON			
MPLOYMENT:	DEBTOR		SPOUSE				
Decupation	TRUCK DRIVER	1	HOUSEWIFE / 1	OTHER	**************************************		
low long employed	1 MONTH						
lame and Address of Employer	1	MOVIE GALLERY 1515 2ND AVE. OPELIKA, AL 36801					
ome: (Estimate of average	monthly income)		DEBTOR		SPOUSE		
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d.) Other SUBTOTAL OF PAYR	\$	408.	60.67				
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*	ation of business, profession or farm	\$	0.1	00 \$	0.0		
Income from real property		\$	0.	00 Ş	0.00		
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Alimony, maintenance or	support payments payable to the debtor for the pendents listed above.	\$	0.	00 \$	180.0		
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# Schedule J - Current Expenditures Of Individual Debtor(s)

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household. Complete a separate schedule of expenditures labeled "Sp	ouse."	
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Rent or home mortgage payment (include lot rented for mobile home)	\$	710.72
Are real estate taxes included?   XI Yes   I No		
Is property insurance included? [x] Yes [] No		
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Utilities: Electricity and heating fuel	\$	115.00
Water and sewer	\$	18.00
Telephone	\$ \$	65.00
Other: <u>CABLE</u>		28.00
<u>GAS</u>	Ş	20.00
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Home Maintenance (Repairs and upkeep)	ş	10.00
Food	\$	200.00
Clothing	Ş	15.00
Laundry and dry cleaning	Ş	10.00
Medical and dental expenses	\$ \$ \$	20.00
Transportation (not including car payments)	\$	85.00
Recreation, clubs and entertainment, newspapers, magazines, etc.		0.00
Charitable contributions	\$	0.00
Insurance (not deducted from wages or included in home mortgage payments):		•
Homeowner's or renter's	\$	85.00
Life	\$	0.00
Health	\$	65.00
Auto	\$	80.00
Other:	\$	0.00
Taxes (not deducted from wages or included in home mortgage payments)		
(Specify)	\$	0.00
Installment payments (in chapter 12 & 13 cases, do not list payments to be included in the p	ılan)	
Auto	\$	0.00
Other:	<b>\$</b>	0.00
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Alimony, maintenance, and support paid to others	\$	0.00
Payments for support of additional dependents not living at your home	\$	0.00
Regular expenses from operation of business, profession, or farm (attach str	mt) \$	0.00
Other: CHILDS TUTION	\$	180.00
TOTAL MONTHLY EXPENSES (Report also on Summary of Schedules)	\$	1,706.72
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monthly, annually, or at some other regular interval.	٨	1 900 46
A. Total projected monthly income	ş	1,888.46
B. Total projected monthly expenses	\$	1,706.72
C. Excess income (A minus B)	\$	181.74
D. Total amount to be paid into plan Monthly	. \$	180.00
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### Declaration Concerning Debtor's Schedules

### DECLARATION UNDER PENALTY OF PERJURY BY INDIVIDUAL DEBTOR

I declare under penalty of perjury that I have read the foregoing summary and schedules, consisting of 15 sheets plus the summary page, and that they are true and correct to the best of my knowledge, information, and belief.

Date 4-24-0~

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Signature JERANY D. SAYLOX

DECLARATION UNDER PENALTY OF PERJURY ON BEHALF OF A CORPORATION OR PARTNERSHIP

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# ONITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT

### Middle District of Alabama Eastern Division

JIMMY D. SAYLOR In re: 421-98-0227

TAMMIE M. SAYLOR 416-17-2037

Case No. Chapter 13

### TEMENT OF FINANCIAL AFFAIRS

### 1. Income from employment or operation of business

None []

State the gross amount of income the debtor has received from employment, trade, or profession, or from operation of the debtor's business from the beginning of this calendar year to the date this case was commenced. State also the gross amounts received during the two years immediately preceding this calendar year. (A debtor that maintains, or has maintained, financial records on the basis of a fiscal rather than calendar year may report fiscal year income. Identify the beginning and ending dates of the debtor's fiscal year.) If a joint petition is filled, state income for each spouse separately. (Married debtors filling under chapter 12 or chapter 13 must state income of both spouses whether or not a joint petition is filled, unless the spouses are separated and a joint petition is not filled.)

AMOUNT

SOURCE

FISCAL YEAR PERIOD

35,361.00

SAYLOR TRUCKING

2001

41,227.00

SAYLOR LOGGING

2000

### 2. Income other than from employment or operation of business

None

State the amount of income received by the debtor other than from employment, trade, profession, or operation of the debtor's business during the two years immediately preceding the commencement of this case. Give particulars. If a joint petition is filed, state income for each spouse separately. (Married debtors filing under chapter 12 or chapter 13 must state income for each spouse whether or not a joint petition is filed, unless the spouses are separated and a joint petition is not filed.)

### 3. Payments to creditors

..... [X]

a. List all payments on loans, installment purchases of goods or services, and other debts, aggregating more than \$600 to any oreditor, made within 90 days immediately preceding the commencement of this case. (Married debtors filing under chapter 12 or chapter 13 must include payments by either or both spouses whether or not a joint petition is filed, unless the spouses are separated and joint petition is not 1、1000年1月2日1日1日中央大学 filed.) and a supplement for comes have the long out

None [X]

b. List all payments made within one year immediately preceding the commencement of this case to or for the benefit of creditors who are or were insiders. (Married debtors filling under chapter 12 or chapter 13 must include payments by either or both spouses whether or not a joint petition is filed, unless the spouses are separated and a joint petition is not filed.)

### Suits and administrative proceedings, executions, garnishments and attachments

None 

a. List all suits and administrative proceedings to which the debtor is or was a party within one year immediately preceding the filing of this bankruptcy case. (Married debtors filing under chapter 12 or chapter 13 must include information concerning either or both spouses whether or not a joint petition is filed, unless the spouses are separated and a joint petition is not filed.)

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DISPOSITION

BRIDGESTONE/FIRESTONE

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PENDING

JIMMY SAYLOR

DISTRICT COURT OF LEE COUNTY

None (X)

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b. Describe all property that has been attached, garnished or seized under any legal or equitable process within one year immediately preceding the commencement of this case. (Married debtors filing under chapter 12 or chapter 13 must include information concerning property of either or both spouses whether or not a joint petition is filled, unless the spouses are separated and a joint petition is not filled.)

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### 5. Repossessions, foreclosures and returns

None [X]

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List all property that has been repossessed by a creditor, sold at a foreclosure sale, transferred through a deed in lieu of foreclosure or returned to the seller, within one year immediately preceding the commencement of this case. (Married debtors filing under chapter 12 or chapter 13 must include information concerning property of either or both spouses whether or not a joint petition is filed, unless the spouses are separated and a joint petition is not filed.)

### 6. Assignments and receiverships

None

a. Describe any assignment of property for the benefit of creditors made within 120 days immediately preceding the commencement of this case. (Married debtors filling under chapter 12 or chapter 13 must include any assignment by either or both spouses whether or not a joint petition is filed, unless the spouses are separated and a joint petition is not filed.)

None [X]

b. List all property which has been in the hands of a custodian, receiver, or court-appointed official within one year immediately preceding the commencement of this case. (Married debtors filing under chapter 12 or chapter 13 must include information concerning property of either or both spouses whether or not a joint petition is filed, unless the spouses are separated and a joint petition is not filed.)

#### 7. Gifts

None [X]

List all gifts or charitable contributions made within one year immediately preceding the commencement of this case except ordinary and usual gifts to family members aggregating less than \$200 in value per individual family member and charitable contributions aggregating less than \$100 per recipient. (Married debtors filling under chapter 12 or chapter 13 must include gifts or contributions by either or both spouses whether or not a joint petition is filled, unless the spouses are separated and a joint petition is not filled.)

### 8. Losses

None [X]

List all losses from fire, theft, other casualty or gambling within one year immediately preceding the commencement of this case or since the commencement of this case. (Married debtors filing under chapter 12 or chapter 13 must include losses by either or both spouses whether or not a joint petition is filed, unless the spouses are separated and a joint petition is not filed.)

### 9. Payments related to debt counseling or bankruptcy

None [X]

List all payments made or property transferred by or on behalf of the debtor to any persons, including attorneys, for consultation concerning debt consolidation, relief under the bankruptcy law or preparation of a petition in bankruptcy within one year immediately preceding the commencement of this case.

#### 10. Other transfers

None [X]

List all other property, other than property transferred in the ordinary course of the business or financial affairs of the debtor, transferred either absolutely or as security within one year immediately preceding the commencement of this case. (Married debtors filing under chapter 12 or chapter 13 must include transfers by either or both spouses whether or not a joint petition is filed, unless the spouses are separated and a joint petition is not filed.)

### 11. Closed financial accounts

None [X]

List all financial accounts and instruments held in the name of the debtor or for the benefit of the debtor which were closed, sold, or otherwise transferred within one year immediately preceding the commencement of this case. Include checking, savings, or other financial accounts, certificates of deposit, or other instruments; shares and share accounts held in banks, credit unions, pension funds, cooperatives, associations, brokerage houses and other financial institutions. (Married debtors filling under chapter 12 or chapter 13 must include information concerning accounts or instruments held by or for either or both spouses whether or not a joint petition is filled, unless the spouses are separated and a joint petition is not filled.)

#### 12. Safe deposit boxes

None [X]

List each safe deposit or other box or depository in which the debtor has or had securities, cash, or other valuables within one year immediately preceding the commencement of this case. (Married debtors filling under chapter 12 or chapter 13 must include boxes or depositories of either or both spouses whether or not a joint petition is filled, unless the spouses are separated and a joint petition is not filled.)

### 13. Setoffs

None [X]

List all setoffs made by any creditor, including a bank, against a debt or deposit of the debtor within 90 days preceding the commencement of this case. (Married debtors filling under chapter 12 or chapter 13 must include information concerning either or both spouses whether or not a joint petition is filled, unless the spouses are separated and a joint petition is not filled.)

### 14. Property held for another person

None [X]

List all property owned by another person that the debtor holds or controls,

### 15. Prior address of debtor

None [X]

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If the debtor has moved within the two years immediately preceding the commencement of this case, list all premises which the debtor occupied during that period and vacated prior to the commencement of this case. If a joint petition is filed, report also any separate address

I declare under penalty of perjury that I have read the answers contained in the foregoing statement of financial affairs and any attachments thereto and that they are true and correct.

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### UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT

Middle District of Alabama Eastern Division

JIMMY D. SAYLOR 421-98-0227 In re:

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TAMMIE M. SAYLOR 416-17-2037

Case No. Chapter 13

### DISCLOSURE OF COMPENSATION OF ATTORNEY FOR DEBTOR

1.		Pursuant to 11 U.S.C. § 329(a) and Bankruptcy Rule 2016(b), I certify that I am the attorney for the above mentioned debtor(s) and that compensation paid to me within one year before the filing of the petition in bankruptcy, or agreed to be paid to me, for services rendered or to be rendered on behalf of the debtor(s) in contemplation of or in connection with the bankruptcy case is as follows:								
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	b)	Preparation ar	id filling of any peti	tion, schedule, stateme	nt of affairs, and other	er documents requ	ired by t	the court;		
	c)	Representatio	n of the debtor(s) a	at the meeting of credito	ors, confirmation hea	ring and any adjou	rned he	arings thereo	f;	
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# UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT

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### VERIFICATION OF CREDITOR MATRIX

The above named debtor(s), or debtor's attorney if applicable, do hereby certify under penalty of perjury that the attached Master Mailing List of creditors, consisting of 3 sheet(s) is complete, correct and consistent with the debtor's schedules pursuant to Local Bankruptcy Rules and I/we assume all responsibility for errors and omissions.

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#### **MATRIX**

JIMMY AND TAMMIE SAYLOR 6911 Lee Rd. 390 Opelika, AL 36804

ALABAMA IMAGING 121 N. 20<sup>th</sup> Street Bldg. 17 Opelika, AL 36801-5449

ALABAMA IMAGING C/O Account Management PO Box 230608 Montgomery, AL 36123

ARL/LABSOUTH PO Box 4600 Montgomery, AL 36103

B & B PAWNBROKERS 1721 Pepperell Pkwy. Opelika, AL 36801

BRIDGESTONE/FIRESTONE C/O John Mark Padgett PO Box 248 Alexander City, AL 35010

CASTLE CREDTI CORP. 8420 W. Bryn Mawr S-300 Chicago, IL 60631

CREDIT BUREAU OF MONTGOMERY
PO Box 230609
Montgomery, AL 36123

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FAIRBANK PO Box 1900 Hatburo, PA 19040

FEDERAL ASSURANCE CORP. 1803 Market Street Opelika, AL 36801

HARRIS COUNTY TAX COMMINISIONER PO Box 152 Hamilton, GA 31811

HOWARD REARDON DMD C/O The CBC Group PO Box 2251 Opelika, AL 36801

INTERNAL MEDICINE ASSOC. 121 N. 20<sup>th</sup> Street Opelika, AL 36802

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C/O The CBC Group
PO Box 4236
Columbus, GA 31904-0236

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NORWEST FINANCIAL PO Box 10443 Des Moines, IA 50306-0443

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SEARS C/O RECOVERY BUREAU PO Box 950 Santa Clara, CA 91380

**SEARS** PO Box 105772 Atlanta, GA 30353-5772

SOUTHERN LINC 2090 Columbiana Road #300 Vestavia Hills, AL 35216

SOUTHERN LINC C/O Alexander & Hamilton 2618 Edenborn Ave. Metairie, LA 70002

SOUTHLAND TIRE 4228 Mobile Hwy. Montgomery, AL 36108

THE FINANCIAL STORE 108 S. 9<sup>th</sup> Street Opelika, AL 36801 

THE HEART CENTER PO Box 2145 Opelika, AL 36803 

THE ORTHOPEDIC CLINIC PO Box 2125 Opelika, AL 36803-2125

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THE ORTHOPEDIC CLINIC C/O Metro System PO Box 4551 Columbus, GA 31904-0551

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WASHINGTON MUTUAL 3786 Pepperell Pkwy. Opelika, AL 36801 EXHIBIT "B"

IN THE UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT FOR THE MIDDLE DISTRICT OF ALABAMA

In Re: JIMMY SAYLOR

TAMMIE SAYLOR

Case No: 02-80576 . W V



# AMENDED CHAPTER 13 PLAN OR SUMMARY

- 1. PAYMENTS TO TRUSTEE: The debtor shall pay \$195.00 to the Chapter 13 trustee each Month.
- 2. <u>DISTRIBUTIONS BY TRUSTEE FROM THE PAYMENTS RECEIVED SHALL BE MADE AS FOLLOWS:</u>

First:

ADMINISTRATIVE CLAIMS under 11 USC§503(b). The debtor's attorney's fee is \$1,300.00.

Second:

SECURED CLAIMS:

Creditor	laims being paid throug	Value of Collate	eral Interest Under Plan	Specified Monthly Payment	
CASTLE CREDIT CORP.	\$6,641.99	\$800.00	11.0%	\$25,00	
HE FINANCIAL STORE	\$4,309.36	\$2,400.00	11.0%	\$70.00	
Duonatifion d	lefaults being cured thro	nigh the trustee:			
Creditor	Amount of Arrearage	Annual Interest Da	te Post-Petition Payment Will Resu	ne   Specified Monthly Payment	
AIRBANK	\$2,442.31		MAY 1, 2002	\$50.00	
c. Secured	claims to be paid directl	y by the debtor o	r other party to the credito	r:	
Creditor	Amount of Debt		Value of Collateral	Contractual Payment	
ÀIRBANK	\$51,690.09		\$50,520.00	\$710.72	
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# CHAPTER 13 PLAN AND SUMMARY CONTINUED

UNSECURED CLAIMS: including the unsecured portion of secured claims, a pro rata amount equal to Fifth: Claim. If unsecured creditors are to receive less than 100% of their claims, the debtor will pay all projected disposable income to the trustee for at least 36 months. \*

\* Pot plan of \$1,000.00

#### DURATION OF PLAN

The expected duration of this plan is 60 months.

# PROVISIONS FOR UNSCHEDULED, POSTPETITION, OR LATE FILED CLAIMS

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Debtor reserves the right to amend schedules to add unscheduled and post-petition claims as same might be determined to exist or arise, respectively.

With regard to any late filed claims, these claims whether submitted by priority claimants such as Internal Revenue Service or the State of Alabama Department of Revenue, or whether filed by any other general, unsecured or secured creditor, sha be disallowed if an objection is submitted by the Debtor and sustained by the Court. "海南人工工" 網子通過

A ... Debtor reserves the privilege to include any post-petition arrearage in mortgage or other secured debt initially proposed for direct servicing to a reasonably cure a post-petition default.

### PROVISIONS FOR PROPERTY OF THE ESTATE. (See 11 U.S.C. §1303, §1306, and §1327):

NONE

**OTHER PROVISIONS:** 

David S. Clark, Attorney for Debtor

2002.

EXHIBIT "C"

# U.S. Bankruptcy Court for the MIDDLE DISTRICT OF ALABAMA Box 1248, Montgomery, AL 36102

In Re a Petition for Relief under Chapter 13 of Title 11, U.S Code, filed by or against the below-named Debtor on April 29, 2002:

DEBTOR(S): Jimmy D. Saylor

Tammie M. Saylor

Case No. 02-80576

Jimmy D. Saylor Tammie M. Saylor ORDER AND NOTICE BY THE COURT

#### ORDER CONFIRMING CHAPTER 13 PLAN

The debtor's plan was filed on 4/29/2002, and was modified on 07/03/2002. The plan or a summary of the plan was transmitted to creditors pursuant to Bankruptcy Rule 3015. The court finds that the plan meets the requirements of 11 U.S.C. § 1325.

#### It is ORDERED that:

The debtor's chapter 13 plan is confirmed as provided in the chapter 13 trustee's summary of confirmed chapter 13 plan.

Dated: September 18, 2002

William R. Sawyer

United States Bankruptcy Judge

Debtor Attorney for Debtor Trustee All Creditors Bankruptcy Administrator U.S. Attorney

BAE SYSTEMS

11487 Sunset Hills Road Reston, Virginia 20190-5234

# Enterprise Systems Incorporated CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

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*Handmark America Inc., P.O. Box 201347, Arlington, TX 76006-1347
Eastern Mortgage service, Inc., c/o Fairbanks Capital Corp., P.O.Box 65250,
Salt Lake City, Utah 84165-0250
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I, Joseph Spectjens, declare under the penalty of perjury that I have served the attached document on the above listed entities in the manner shown, and prepared the Certificate of Service and that it is true and correct to the best of my information and belief.

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Date: Sep 20, 2002

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EXHIBIT "D"

# IN THE UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT MIDDLE DISTRICT OF ALABAMA

In re: JIMMY D. SAYLOR and TAMMIE M. SAYLOR a/k/a TAMMIE McLINN,	) ) )	CHAPTER 13 CASE NO. 02-80576-WRS
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Debtor(s).	)	

Movant is willing to consider an adequate protection agreement.

The motion will be served with a form for a proposed order agreeable to the moving party, leaving blank, where appropriate, amounts to be arrived at by way of negotiation or determined upon further factual development.

Movant is not willing to consider an adequate protection agreement.

Pursuant to LBR 4001-1, the moving party seeks relief from the automatic stay. Unless a response is filed and served upon the moving party within 20 days from the date of service of this motion, the motion may be granted by the court without further notice

#### MOTION FOR RELIEF FROM STAY

Comes now Select Portfolio Servicing, Inc. ("Select Servicing"), as servicing agent for IMC Mortgage Company a/k/a Industry Mortgage Company, L.P. d/b/a IMCC Financial and d/b/a IMCC Financial, Inc., and d/b/a American Mortgage Reduction ("IMCC") and moves this Court, pursuant to 11 U.S.C. Section 362(d), for an order lifting the automatic stay on certain property which is subject to an interest held by IMCC, and shows unto the Court the following:

- 1. IMCC is a secured creditor of the above-named Debtor(s) being the holder and owner of a certain note in the original principal amount of \$52,200.00, executed by the Debtor(s) and payable to the order of Eastern Mortgage Services, Inc., and is secured by a mortgage on certain real estate located in Lee County, Alabama, as evidenced by the attached instruments.
- 2. Select Servicing avers that Debtor(s) has/have been in default in the payment of the post-petition installments due IMCC, as assignee of said note and mortgage, pursuant to the terms of said note since May, 2004 and thereafter.

WHEREFORE, Select Servicing respectfully requests that the Court issue an order stating that the automatic stay is lifted pursuant to 11 U.S.C. Section 362(d), and said property be released to IMCC so as to permit IMCC to liquidate its security and to apply the proceeds to said indebtedness secured thereby, and to such other relief to which it may be entitled.

SCOTT J. HUMPHREY, ESQ

Attorney for Select Portfolio Servicing, Ind as servicing agent for IMC Mortgage Company a/k/a Industry Mortgage Company, L.P. d/b/a IMCC Financial and d/b/a IMCC Financial, Inc., and d/b/a American Mortgage Reduction

3829 Lorna Road, Suite 312 Hoover, Alabama 35244 (205) 988-8888

# CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that a copy of the foregoing has been served upon the following by United States mail, postage prepaid and properly addressed, on this \_\_\_\_\_ day of September, 2004, to-wit:

Davis S. Clark, Esq. Brock & Stout & Clark P.O. Box 1586 Opelika, AL 36801

Curtis C. Redding Chapter 13 Trustee P. O. Box 173 Montgomery, AL 36101

Jimmy D. Saylor Tammie M. Saylor 6911 Lee Road 390 Opelika, AL 36804

SCOTT J. HUMPHREY

EXHIBIT "E"

#### UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT MIDDLE DISTRICT OF ALABAMA

IN RE:	JIMMY D. SAYLOR and	)	
	TAMMIE M. SAYLOR a/k/a	)	
	TAMMIE MCLINN,	)	CHAPTER 13
		)	CASE NO. 02-80576-WRS
	Debtor(s).	)	

#### <u>ORDER</u>

This matter came on for hearing upon the motion of Select Portfolio Servicing, Inc. ("Select Servicing"), as servicing agent for IMC Mortgage Company a/k/a Industry Mortgage Company, L. P. d/b/a IMCC Financial and d/b/a IMCC Financial, Inc. and d/b/a American Mortgage Reduction (collectively "IMCC"), seeking relief from the automatic stay imposed by 11 U.S.C. Section 362(d) as it relates to the enforcement of the lien of IMCC against property of the Debtor(s) located at 6911 LEE ROAD 390, OPELIKA, ALABAMA 36804.

Whereas the Court being informed of the agreement of the parties, it is therefore ORDERED, ADJUDGED and DECREED that the motion of Select Servicing/IMCC is CONDITIONALLY DENIED, conditioned upon the following:

- 1 The Debtor(s) post-petition arrearage due Select Servicing/IMCC in the amount of \$2,818.44, which represents the payments due for May, 2004, through and including the September 2004 payment, plus attorney's fees/costs and Court costs in the amount of \$600.00, is to be included by the Debtor(s) in the Debtor(s) plan. The Debtor(s) plan shall be amended to include the aforementioned post-petition arrearage, fees and costs due Select Servicing/IMCC, with the Debtor(s) payments to the Chapter 13 Trustee being increased to \$298.00 per month, and the Chapter 13 Trustee's payments to Select Servicing/IMCC being increased to \$173.00 per month. Select Servicing/IMCC is directed to file a claim with the Chapter 13 Trustee for said arrearage, fees and costs.
- 2. The Debtor(s) shall resume his/her/their regular monthly payments due Select Servicing/IMCC, as said payments fall due each month, beginning with the October, 2004 payment, and continuing each successive month thereafter until the Debtor(s) mortgage obligation with Select Servicing/IMCC or its assigns has been satisfied.
  - In the event that any regular monthly payment is not received by Select Servicing/IMCC by the date

it falls due pursuant to the terms of the Debtor(s) loan agreement with Select Servicing/IMCC, beginning with the October, 2004 payment, then Select Servicing/IMCC shall give notice to the Debtor(s) and the Debtor(s) attorney of the delinquency and if the delinquency is not cured within ten (10) days of the date of said notice, then the automatic stay shall immediately lift, allowing Select Servicing/IMCC to proceed against or otherwise liquidate the property described hereinabove.

This the 14th day of October, 2004.

/s/ William R. Sawyer U.S. BANKRUPTCY JUDGE

Consented to by:

/s/David S. Clark, Esq. DAVID S. CLARK, ESQ. Attorney for Debtor(s) P. O. Box 1586 Opelika, AL 36801 (334) 269-4440

/s/Curtis C. Reding CURTIS C. REDING Chapter 13 Trustee P. O. Box 173 Montgomery, AL 36101 (334) 262-8371

This Order was prepared by:

#### /s/Scott J. Humphrey, Esq.

SCOTT J. HUMPHREY, ESQ. Attorney for Select Portfolio Servicing, Inc., as servicing agent for IMC Mortgage Company a/k/a Industry Mortgage Company, L. P. d/b/a IMCC Financial and d/b/a IMCC Financial, Inc. and d/b/a American Mortgage Reduction 3829 Lorna Road, Suite 312 Hoover, Alabama 35244 (205) 988-8888

EXHIBIT "F"

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# UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT MIDDLE DISTRICT OF ALABAMA

IN RE: JIMMY D. SAYLOR and	)	CHAPTER 13	FILED'
TAMMIE M. SAYLOR,	)		AUG 02 2002
Debtor(s).	ý	CASE NO. 02-805	76°VYRSHUPTCY COURT

# PRE-PETITION ARREARAGE PROOF OF CLAIM

- Scott J. Humphrey, whose office address is 3829 Lorna Road, Suite 312, Hoover,
   Alabama 35244, states that he is the attorney for the Claimant, and is duly authorized to make this proof of claim.
  - 2. This claim is based upon a promissory note.
  - 3. No judgment has been rendered upon this claim.
- 4. This debt is secured by a mortgage on certain real estate located in Lee County, Alabama, the evidence of which is attached hereto.
- 5. This claim is filed as a secured debt up to the value of the security herein described, and as an unsecured debt as to any deficiency between the amount due on the claim and the value of the security.
- 6. The amounts of all payments on this claim have been credited and deducted for the purpose of making this claim.
  - 7. This claim is not subject to any set off or counterclaim.
  - 8. The Debtor(s) is/are indebted to the Claimant as follows:

Pre-petition arrearage (through and Including April, 2002) \$ 2,325.22
Pre-petition collection fees/costs 500.00
Attorney's fees/costs (Proof of Claim) 400.00

TOTAL AMOUNT DUE

\$ 3,225.22

Eastern Mortgage Services, Inc. c/o Fairbanks Capital Corp.
Post Office Box 65250

Salt Lake City, Utah 84165-0250

By:

Scott J. Humphrey Attorney for Claimant

PLEASE FORWARD ALL PAYMENTS DIRECTLY TO CLAIMANT (Fairbanks Account No. 3006962033)

EXHIBIT "G"

# UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT MIDDLE DISTRICT OF ALABAMA

IN RE:	JIMMY D. SAYLOR and TAMMIE M. SAYLOR a/k/a TAMMIE MCLINN,	) ) )	CHAPTER 13 CASE NO. 02-80576-WRS
	Debtor(s).	)	

# POST-PETITION ARREARAGE PROOF OF CLAIM

- 1. Scott J. Humphrey, whose office address is 3829 Lorna Road, Suite 312, Hoover, Alabama 35244, states that he is the attorney for the Claimant, and is duly authorized to make this proof of claim.
  - 2. This claim is based upon a promissory note.
  - 3. No judgment has been rendered upon this claim.
- 4. This debt is secured by a mortgage on certain real estate located in Lee County, Alabama, the evidence of which is attached hereto.
- 5. This claim is filed as a secured debt up to the value of the security herein described, and as an unsecured debt as to any deficiency between the amount due on the claim and the value of the security.
- 6. The amounts of all payments on this claim have been credited and deducted for the purpose of making this claim.
  - 7. This claim is not subject to any set off or counterclaim.
  - 8. The Debtor(s) is/are indebted to the Claimant as follows:

Post-petition arrearage (May, 2004 through and including
September, 2004/per Court's Order dated October 14, 2004)

Post-petition attorney's fees/cost (per Court's Order dated
October 14, 2004)

\*\*TOTAL AMOUNT DUE\*\*

\$ 2,818.44

IMC Mortgage Company a/k/a Industry Mortgage Company, L.P. d/b/a IMCC Financial and d/b/a IMCC Financial, Inc., and d/b/a American Mortgage Reduction c/o Select Portfolio Servicing, Inc.

Post Office Box 65450 Salt Lake City, Utah 84165

Sait Lake City

Scott J. Humphrey
Attorney for Claimant

PLEASE FORWARD ALL PAYMENTS DIRECTLY TO CLAIMANT (Select Portfolio Servicing, Inc. Account No. 3006962033)

EXHIBIT "H"

#### IN THE UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT FOR THE MIDDLE DISTRICT OF ALABAMA EASTERN DIVISION

IN RE:	) BANKRUPTCY CASE NO.:
JIMMY D. SAYLOR, &	) 02-80576
TAMMIE M. SAYLOR,	) ) CHAPTER 13 CASE *****************************
JIMMY D. SAYLOR,	)
PLAINTIFF,	)
VS.	) A.P. NO.: 06-
SELECT PORTFOLIO SERVICING, INC.,	
DEFENDANT.	)

# COMPLAINT SEEKING DAMAGES IN CORE ADVERSARY PROCEEDING

#### I. INTRODUCTION

- This is a Complaint for actual and punitive damages filed by the Plaintiff / Debtor pursuant 1. to 11 U.S.C. §§105, 362, 501, 502, 503 & 506 and Rules 2016, 7001 and 9011 of the Federal Rules of Bankruptcy Procedure and the Fair Debt Collection Practices Act (hereinafter, "FDCPA"), 15 U.S.C. § 1692 et seq.
- This Complaint is also filed to enforce the confirmation order previously entered in the 2. Plaintiff's Chapter 13 bankruptcy case and to enforce and implement other bankruptcy code provisions and rules related thereto.

#### II. JURISDICTION AND VENUE

- Jurisdiction is conferred on this Honorable Court pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1334. This 3. proceeding arises in and is related to the above-styled Chapter 13 bankruptcy case and concerns property of the Debtor in said bankruptcy case. The Court has both personal and subject matter jurisdiction to hear this case pursuant to 28 U.S.C. §§ 157(b)(2) & 1334.
- This Court also has jurisdiction to hear the FDCPA violations pursuant to 15 U.S.C. § 1692. 4. Therefore, Federal subject matter jurisdiction is properly founded on 28 U.S.C. § 1331.
- This matter is primarily a core proceeding, and therefore the bankruptcy court has 5. jurisdiction to enter a final order. In the event this case is determined to be a non-core proceeding, the Plaintiff consents to entry of a final order by this Honorable Court.
- Venue is proper in this district pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1391(b). 6.

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#### III. PARTIES

- The Plaintiff in this case is a Debtor under Chapter 13, Title 11, United States Code. Said 7. Chapter 13 bankruptcy case bears case number 02-80576. The Plaintiff in this instant action is hereinafter referred to as the Plaintiff or the Debtor.
- The Defendant, Select Portfolio Servicing, Inc. (hereinafter, "Select Servicing") is a Utah 8. corporation engaged in the business of real estate mortgage servicing. Select Servicing is the loan servicer for the mortgage loan which is the subject of this action.

#### IV. FACTUAL ALLEGATIONS

- On April 29, 2002, the Plaintiff filed his voluntary Chapter 13 bankruptcy case. 9.
- The Section 341 First Meeting of Creditors was held in Dothan, Alabama on July 2, 2002. 11.
- On September 18, 2002, this Honorable Court confirmed the Plaintiff's Chapter 13 plan. 12.
- The Plaintiff's chapter 13 plan, as confirmed, included a debt to Defendant, scheduled by 13. the Debtor, in the approximate amount of \$51,690.09. The Defendant's debt was scheduled as a claim secured by a first deed of trust on the residential real estate of the Plaintiffs located at 6911 Lee Road 390, Opelika, Alabama 36804. The Plaintiff's chapter 13 plan also proposed to cure the pre-petition arrears, through February 2002, to in the amount of \$2,442.31. The Plaintiff further proposed to resume direct payments in May 2002.
- Defendant, Select Servicing, filed a sworn proof of claim for the arrearage on the mortgage 14. loan in the amount of \$3,225.22. This claim is identified on the records of the Clerk of Court as claim number 3.
- On or about September 10, 2004, Select Servicing, filed a motion for relief from stay 15. alleging the Plaintiff, as Debtor, was in default on his post-petition mortgage payments. The motion for relief from stay was ultimately resolved by way of a consent order that provided for curing the post-petition arrears through the Debtor's chapter 13 plan and paying Select Servicing's legal fees and expenses.
- The consent order was entered by the Court on October 14, 2004, and approved legal fees 16. and expenses in the total amount of \$600.00 to be paid to Select Servicing, through the Debtor's chapter 13 plan. This amended claim is identified on the records of the Clerk of Court as claim number 8, and was filed by Select Servicing, on November 1, 2004. The trustee has disbursed \$2,658.51 as of May 23,2006, toward the arrearage claim.
- Subsequent to settling the motion for relief from stay, the Plaintiff's bankruptcy attorney 17. served a "qualified written request", under the Real Estate Settlement Procedures Act, 12 U.S.C.\§ 2605(e) (hereinafter, RESPA), to the Defendant on May 18, 2006.
- The Plaintiff's bankruptcy attorney received a RESPA response from Isha Rush, Customer 18. Advocate, Select Servicing, on or about May 24, 2006. The response included a payment history and fees due inquiry.

The RESPA response indicated that Defendant added at least as much as \$400.00 for pre-19. petition collection fees and costs as well as \$400.00 for attorney fees / Proof of Claim fees. Furthermore, the Defendant disclosed the following fees that were also assessed post petition:

DATE	DESCRIPTION		FEE
June 7, 2002	Inspection fee		\$11.35
July <b>12, 200</b> 2	Inspection fee		\$11.35
September 23, 2002	Undisclosed bankruptcy legal cost		\$456.00
January 21, 2004	Broker Price opinion		\$85.00
September 10, 2004	Undisclosed bankruptcy attorney fees		\$550.00
November 2, 2004	Broker Price opinion		\$85.00
May 5, 2005	Broker Price opinion		\$85.00
November 14, 2005	Broker Price opinion		\$85.00
May 18, 2006	Unknown corporate advance		\$722.35
17103 ±01 ±05	<u> </u>	TOTAL =	\$2,091.35

- All of said fees were assessed post-petition. The Plaintiff asserts that none of the fees 20. have been approved by the bankruptcy court and are otherwise unreasonable and excessive.
- The Debtor asserts that Select Servicing has improperly assessed his mortgage loan 21. improper, unauthorized and illegal fees and charges; has improperly posted his post-petition mortgage payments; and has furthermore failed to properly credit the Debtor's account with post-petition disbursements from the office of the chapter 13 trustee.
- The Plaintiff has been damaged by the Defendant's actions in that he has been and 22. continues to be forced to expend his time and expenses to enforce his rights and has incurred substantial and significant legal fees and expenses in connection therewith. The Plaintiff has also been in fear of losing his home.

#### COUNT I

#### **VIOLATION OF THE AUTOMATIC STAY**

- The Plaintiff adopts and incorporate paragraphs 1 through 22 as if fully set out herein. 23.
- The Defendant's actions in imposing improper, unauthorized and unapproved fees and 24. charges to the Plaintiff's mortgage loan account constitutes a gross violation of the automatic stay as set forth in 11 U.S.C. §362(a)(3).
- The imposition of the unapproved fees constitutes unlawful and illegal bankruptcy fees in 25. violation of the automatic stay and inconsistent with the bankruptcy code.

By violating 11 U.S.C. §362, the Defendant is liable to the Plaintiff for actual damages, 26. punitive damages and legal fees.

#### COUNT II

#### FAIR DEBT COLLECTION PRACTICES ACT (F.D.C.P.A.)

- The Plaintiff adopts and incorporates paragraphs 1 through 26 as if fully set out herein. 27.
- The Defendant violated the F.D.C.P.A. The Defendant's violations include, but are not 28. limited to, engaging in any conduct for natural consequences of which is to harass, oppress, or abuse any person in connection with the collection of a debt. 15 U.S.C. §1692d.
- By violating the F.D.C.P.A., the Defendant is liable to the Plaintiff for actual damages, 29. statutory damages of \$1,000.00 and attorney fees.

#### COUNT III

#### VIOLATION OF 11 U.S.C. §§105 & 506

- The Plaintiff adopts and incorporates paragraphs 1 through 29 as if fully set out herein. 30.
- The Defendant's actions by charging post-petition legal fees and expenses as alleged herein 31. without prior notice or court approval constitutes willful, intentional, gross and flagrant violations of the provisions of 11 U.S.C. §§105 & 506. The charges further violate F.R.B.P. 2016 which provides, in pertinent part, that: "an entity seeking interim or final compensation for services, or reimbursement of necessary expenses, from the estate shall file an application setting forth a detailed statement of (1) the services rendered, time expended and expenses incurred, and (2) the amount request."
- As a result of the above violations, the Defendant is liable to the Plaintiff for actual 32. damages, punitive damages and legal fees.

#### **COUNT IV**

#### IMPROPER AND UNAUTHORIZED FEES

- The Plaintiff adopts and incorporates paragraphs 1 through 32 as if fully set out herein. 33.
- The Plaintiff asserts, upon information and belief, that the actions alleged herein are acts in 34. violation of 11 U.S.C. §506, that the fees charged by the Defendant was not part of the underlying agreement by and between the Plaintiff and the Defendant, and that the fees and costs are otherwise unreasonable and excessive.
- As a result of the above violation, the Defendant is liable to the Plaintiff for actual damages, 35. punitive damages and legal fees.

WHEREFORE, the Plaintiff has set forth his claims for relief against the Defendant respectfully prays of the court as follows:

- That the Plaintiff have and recover against the Defendant a sum to be determined A. by the court in the form of actual damages;
- That the Plaintiff have and recover against the Defendant a sum to be determined B. by the court in the form of statutory damages;
- That the Plaintiff have and recover against the Defendant a sum to be determined C. by the court in the form of punitive damages;
- That the Plaintiff have and recover against the Defendant all reasonable legal fees D. and expenses incurred by their attorney;
- That this court order the Defendant to pay additional actual damages and statutory E. damages in a sum to be determined by the court for violating the F.D.C.P.A. pursuant to 15 U.S.C. §1692k;
- That the Plaintiff have such other and further relief as the court may deem just and F. proper.

Respectfully submitted this 10th day of July, 2006.

**BROCK & STOUT** 

1s | David G. Poston David G. Poston, Esq. Michael D. Brock, Esq. Gary W. Stout, Esq. Post Office Drawer 311167 Enterprise, Alabama 36330 334-671-5555 334-671-2689 Facsimile Email christal02@centurytel.net EXHIBIT "I"

#### IN THE UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT FOR THE MIDDLE DISTRICT OF ALABAMA **EASTERN DIVISION**

JIMMY D. SAYLOR and	) CHAPTER 13
TAMMIE M. SAYLOR	)
DEBTOR(S).	CASE NO. 05-07255-BGC-13
	) ADVERSARY PROCEEDING NO 06-08035
	) 00-08033

#### **MOTION TO DISMISS**

COMES NOW, Michael E. Bybee, counsel for Creditor, Fairbanks Capital Corp. n/k/a Select Portfolio Servicing, Inc., as servicing agent for Eastern Mortgage Services, Inc., (herein after referred to as "SPS") and requests this Honorable Court to dismiss the above-styled case due to Debtor's failure to state a claim upon which relief can be granted.

Respectfully submitted,

/s/ Michael E. Bybee MICHAEL E. BYBEE ATTORNEY FOR CREDITOR 2107 Fifth Avenue North, Suite 200 Birmingham, Alabama 35203-3387 (205) 252-1622

#### **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I hereby certify that a copy of the above and foregoing Motion to Dismiss has been served upon the following via the United States Mail, properly addressed and postage prepaid:

<u>Trustee</u> Curtis C. Reding P.O. Box 173 Montgomery, AL 36101 Attorney for Debtor David G. Poston, Esq. P.O. Drawer 311167 Enterprise, AL 36330

DATED this the 10th day of August, 2006.

/s/ Michael E. Bybee MICHAEL E. BYBEE

EXHIBIT "J"

#### IN THE UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT FOR THE MIDDLE DISTRICT OF ALABAMA **EASTERN DIVISION**

IN RE: BANKRUPTCY CASE NO.

JIMMY D. SAYLOR and 02-80576

TAMMIE M. SAYLOR

**CHAPTER 13 CASE** Debtors.

JIMMY D. SAYLOR,

Plaintiff,

A.P. No. 06-08035 vs.

SELECT PORTFOLIO SERVICING, INC.,

Defendant.

#### ANSWER

COMES NOW, Fairbanks Capital Corp. n/k/a Select Portfolio Servicing, Inc., as servicing agent for Eastern Mortgage Services, Inc., (herein after referred to as "SPS"), by and through counsel in the above-styled case and files the following Answer and hereby states unto this Honorable Court as follows:

#### I. INTRODUCTION

- 1. No response is required, therefore the defendant(s) deny the allegation in paragraph one.
- 2. No response is required, therefore the defendant(s) deny the allegations in paragraph two.

#### II. JURISDICTION AND VENUE

- 3. Defendant(s) are without sufficient information to neither admit or deny paragraph three, therefore, deny the allegations.
- 4. Defendant(s) are without sufficient information to neither admit or deny paragraph four, therefore, deny the allegations.

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5.	Defendant(s) are without sufficient information as to the first sentence to neither admit or deny, therefore, deny the allegations. No response is required of the second sentence of paragraph five, therefore deny.
6.	Defendant(s) admit the allegation as described in paragraph six.
	III. PARTIES
7.	Defendant(s) admit the allegation as described in the first and second sentence of paragraph seven. No response is required, as to the last sentence of paragraph seven.
8.	Defendant(s) admit the allegation as described in paragraph eight.
	IV. FACTUAL ALLEGATIONS
9.	The record speaks for itself as to the allegation as described in paragraph nine.
11.	The record speaks for itself as to the allegation as described in paragraph eleven.
12.	The record speaks for itself as to the allegation as described in paragraph twelve.
13.	Defendant(s) are without sufficient information to neither admit or deny paragraph thirteen, therefore, deny the allegations.
14.	The record speaks for itself as to the allegation as described in paragraph fourteen.
15.	The record speaks for itself as to the allegation as described in paragraph fifteen.
16.	Defendant(s) are without sufficient information to neither admit or deny paragraph sixteen, therefore, deny the allegations
17.	Defendant(s) are without sufficient information to neither admit or deny paragraph seventeen, therefore, deny the allegations.
18.	Defendant(s) are without sufficient information to neither admit or deny paragraph eighteen, therefore, deny the allegations.

Defendant(s) are without sufficient information to neither admit or deny paragraph nineteen, therefore, deny the allegations.

Defendant(s) are without sufficient information to neither admit or deny paragraph twenty therefore, deny the allegations.

21.	Defendant(s)	deny the	allegation as	described i	n paragraph	twenty-one.
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22. Defendant(s) deny the allegation as described in paragraph twen	itv-two.
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#### **COUNT I**

#### VIOLATION OF THE AUTOMATIC STAY

- 23. The Defendant(s) adopts its answers 1 through 22 as if fully set out herein.
- 24. Defendant(s) deny the allegations in paragraph twenty-four.
- 25. Defendant(s) deny the allegations in paragraph twenty-five.
- 26. Defendant(s) deny the allegations in paragraph twenty-six.

#### COUNT II

#### FAIR DEBT COLLECTION PRACTICES ACT (F.D.C.P.A.)

- 27. The Defendant(s) adopts and incorporates its responses 1 through 26 as if fully set out herein.
- 28. Defendant(s) deny the allegations in paragraph twenty-eight.
- 29. Defendant(s) deny the allegations in paragraph twenty-nine.

#### **COUNT III**

#### VIOLATION OF 11 U.S.C. §§ 105 & 506

- 30. The Defendant(s) adopts and incorporates its responses 1 through 29 as if fully set out herein.
- 31. The Defendant(s) deny the allegations in paragraph thirty-one.
- 32. The Defendant(s) deny the allegations in paragraph thirty-two.

#### COUNT IV

#### IMPROPER AND UNAUTHORIZED FEES

33. The Defendant(s) adopts and incorporates its responses 1 through 32 as if fully set out herein.

- The Defendant(s) deny the allegations in paragraph thirty-four. 34.
- The Defendant(s) deny the allegations in paragraph thirty-five. 35.

#### FIRST AFFIRMATIVE DEFENSE

Defendant pleads that any award of punitive damages to the plaintiff in this case will be violative of the Fifth Amendment as well as the Due Process Clause of the Fourteenth Amendment of the Constitution of the United States.

#### SECOND AFFIRMATIVE DEFENSE

Defendant pleads that an award of punitive damages to plaintiff in this case will be violative of the constitutional safeguards provided to defendant under the Constitution of the State of Alabama.

#### THIRD AFFIRMATIVE DEFENSE

Defendant pleads that an award of punitive damages to plaintiff in this case will be violative of the constitutional safeguards provided to the defendant under the Due Process Clause of the Fourteenth Amendment to the Constitution of the United States in that punitive damages are vague and are not rationally related to legitimate government interest.

#### **FOURTH AFFIRMATIVE DEFENSE**

Defendant pleads that any award of punitive damages to plaintiff in this case will be violative of the procedural safeguards provided to the defendant under the Sixth Amendment to the Constitution of the United States in that punitive damages are penal in nature and. consequently defendant is entitled to the same procedural safeguards accorded to criminal defendants.

#### FIFTH AFFIRMATIVE DEFENSE

Defendant pleads it is violative of the self-incrimination clause of the Fifth Amendment to the Constitution of the United States of America to impose against this defendant punitive damages, which are penal in nature, yet compel defendant to disclose potentially incriminating documents and evidence.

#### SIXTH AFFIRMATIVE DEFENSE

Defendant pleads it is violative of the rights guaranteed by the Constitution of the United States of America and the Constitution of the State of Alabama to impose punitive damages against this defendant, which are penal in nature, by requiring burden of proof on plaintiff which is less than "beyond a reasonable doubt", burden of proof required in criminal cases.

#### **SEVENTH AFFIRMATIVE DEFENSE**

Defendant pleads that any award of punitive damages to the plaintiff in the case will be violative of the Eighth Amendment of the Constitution of the United States in that said damages would be an excessive fine in violation of the Excessive Fines Clause of the Eighth Amendment to the United States Constitution.

#### **EIGHTH AFFIRMATIVE DEFENSE**

The complaint fails to state a claim upon which relief can be granted.

### **NINTH AFFIRMATIVE DEFENSE**

The defendant pleads the defense of estoppel.

#### **TENTH AFFIRMATIVE DEFENSE**

The defendant, without admitting any wrongdoing on the defendant's part, pleads the defense of contributory negligence.

#### **ELEVENTH AFFIRMATIVE DEFENSE**

The defendant pleads the defense of partial satisfaction

#### TWELFTH AFFIRMATIVE DEFENSE

The defendant pleads in defense of "clean hands" doctrine.

### THIRTEENTH AFFIRMATIVE DEFENSE

The defendant pleads the defense of res judicata.

#### **FOURTEENTH AFFIRMATIVE DEFENSE**

The defendant pleads the defense of settlement.

#### **FIFTEENTH AFFIRMATIVE DEFENSE**

The defendant pleads the defense of collateral estoppel.

#### SIXTEENTH AFFIRMATIVE DEFENSE

The defendant pleads the defense of consent.

#### SEVENTEENTH AFFIRMATIVE DEFENSE

The defendant pleads the defense of the statute of frauds.

#### **EIGHTEENTH AFFIRMATIVE DEFENSE**

The defendant pleads the defense of acquiescence.

#### **NINETEENTH AFFIRMATIVE DEFENSE**

The defendant pleads the defense of failure of consideration.

#### TWENTIETH AFFIRMATIVE DEFENSE

The defendant pleads the defense of laches.

#### **TWENTY-FIRST AFFIRMATIVE DEFENSE**

The defendant pleads the defense of res judicticate

The defendant pleads any other matter which constitutes an avoidance or affirmative defense. Defendant reserves the right to supplement its answer, as further defenses are revealed through discovery and prosecution of this case.

WHEREFORE, the premises considered, the defendant, SPS, respectfully requests that all requests of Plaintiff's prayer for relief be denied, the defendant be awarded attorneys fees for defense of this Complaint, and that such other and further relief be afforded the Defendant. SPS.

> /s/ Michael E. Bybee MICHAEL E. BYBEE Attorney for the Defendant(s) 2107 Fifth Avenue N, Suite 200 Birmingham, Al 35203-3387 (205) 252-1622 Telephone (205) 252-2888 Fax 6539-N-2245

# **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I hereby certify that on the <u>30<sup>th</sup></u> day of <u>August</u>, 2006, I have served a copy of the above and foregoing on all parties in interest via united States Mail and/or electronic notification by the court:

ATTORNEY FOR PLAINTIFF/DEBTOR
David G. Poston

P.O. Drawer 6504 Dothan, AL 36302-6504 **TRUSTEE** Curtis C. Reding P.O. Box 173

Montgomery, AL 36101

/s/ Michael E, Bybee Michael E. Bybee EXHIBIT "K"

JIMMY D. SAYLOR,

#### IN THE UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT FOR THE MIDDLE DISTRICT OF ALABAMA EASTERN DIVISION

IN RE: BANKRUPTCY CASE NO.

JIMMY D. SAYLOR and 02-80576

TAMMIE M. SAYLOR Debtors. **CHAPTER 13 CASE** 

Plaintiff,

A.P. No. 06-08035 VS.

SELECT PORTFOLIO SERVICING, INC.,

Defendant. **BRIEF** 

COMES NOW, Defendant, Select Portfolio Servicing, Inc., ("SPS") and offers this brief in support its motion to dismiss. Defendant, SPS states as follows:

In review of a motion to dismiss the court "... is required to view the complaint in the light most favorable to the plaintiff." Murphy v. Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation 208 F. 3d 959, 962 (11th Cir. 2000). Also, the court must accept, at least for motion to dismiss purposes, the allegations of the complaint as true.

Despite the high requirements set by the standard of review, the instant case does not pass muster. SPS urges this court to review the Plaintiff's "factual allegations" (although SPS denies the material allegations as set out) and determine what claim can be asserted even if, arguendo said allegations are considered for the moment to be true.

In count one, Plaintiff alleges a violation of automatic stay. The offense; a response to written inquiry by Defendant's counsel demanding information under R.E.S.P.A. The "facts"

allege no other act except this. Literally Plaintiff alleges that because the charges listed in the response letter were (not wrong) unreasonable, that the content violates the provisions of §362. Assuming the Plaintiff's allegation as the whether the content was correct or not to be true, the letter itself does not or cannot constitute "an act" with the meaning of §362, particularly in response to the Defendant's demand under R.E.S.P.A. (for which movant could have been liable had it not responded). Movant is unfairly prejudiced by the two-pronged dilemma of responding, either having to defend Count I of this complaint or defend the presumably alternate R.E.S.P.A violation complaint. It is important to note that the Debtor chooses to ignore the claims process of the Bankruptcy Code, choosing instead to "bootstrap" an automatic stay violation. Keep in mind the letter sent to counsel was a response to Debtor's demand and expressly disclaimed any attempt to collect what Debtor is in Bankruptcy.

No other "act" is cited by Plaintiff's "factual allegations". The Federal Rules require only a "....short and plain statement of the claim". Nonetheless, in making said statement it must correlate to the claim. In the instant case, the statement claims offer nothing upon which to have relief. Moreover, Telfair is on point clearly determining the issue not to be violative of §362. Telfair v. 1<sup>st</sup> Union Mortgage Corp. 216 F.3d 1333 (11<sup>th</sup> Cir. 2000).

A review of the F.D.C.P.A. claim in the Plaintiff's complaint shows no claim for which relief can be granted. Again, in review the facts alleged, no F.D.C.P.A. claim arises. F.D.C.P.A looks to the conduct of the collector not the underlying debt. (emphasis added) Transamerica Financial Services v. Sykes. W 98-2586 (7th Circ.), McCartny v. Citibank 870. F.2d 45 (5th Circ.) 1992). The complaints only allegation is that the amounts listed in the response letter constitute a violation of F.D.C.P.A., yet the Court in the Telfair decision clearly sets out that what may be state court claim but is not Bankruptcy court claim. Telfair v. 1st Union Mortgage Corp.

216 F.3d 1333 (4th Circ. 2000). Moreover, there was no "demand" necessary to trigger F.D.C.P.A claim, only a response to Plaintiff's demand letter.

Additionally, Judge Williams in Shortsleeves v. Centurytel 2006.W.L. 257 1950 (BKRTCY. M.D.A.L.A.) also points out the parameters of a F.D.C.P.A claim as well as to the Bankruptcy Court's jurisdiction pursuant to such claims.

The allegations of count three fail simply because sections 105 and 506 of the Bankruptcy Code cited do not avail relief requested by the Plaintiff. Further Telfair applies as well. Telfair v. 1st Union Mortgage Corp. (supra).

Finally, the allegations of Count four are exactly what Telfair (supra) determines to be non-bankruptcy. Telfair points out, that at best, the allegations are beyond the provision of the Bankruptcy court, and may have claim in the state court forum.

As the Debtor has been discharged, he is free to pursue said state court claim, if it exists, but not this lawsuit at it is filed in Bankruptcy Court.

WHEREFORE, Movant respectfully moves this court to dismiss this complaint and allow such other remedies as are appropriate.

Respectfully Submitted,

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I hereby certify that on the 27<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2006, I have served a copy of the above and foregoing on all parties in interest via united States Mail and/or electronic notification by the court:

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EXHIBIT "L"

## FILED OCT 1 9 2006 IN THE UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT

FOR THE MIDDLE DISTRICT OF ALABAMA

IN RE:	) BANKRUPTCY CASE NO.:
JIMMY D. SAYLOR, & TAMMIE M. SAYLOR,	) ) 02-80576 )
DEBTORS.	/ ) CHAPTER 13 CASE ************************************
JIMMY D. SÄYLOR,	)
PLAINTIFF,	)
vs.	) A.P. NO.:
SELECT PORTFOLIO SERVICING, INC.,	)
DEFENDANT	) )

EASTERN DIVISION

## PLAINTIFF'S BRIEF IN RESPONSE TO DEFENDANT'S MOTION TO DISMISS

#### I. INTRODUCTION

COMES NOW the Plaintiff, JIMMY D. SAYLOR, by and through the undersigned attorney, in response to the Defendant's Motion to Dismiss.

The Plaintiff, JIMMY D. SAYLOR, (hereinafter "SAYLOR") filed the instant adversary proceeding on July 10, 2006. Saylor's complaint alleges that the Defendant, SELECT PORTFOLIO SERVICING, INC., (hereinafter "SELECT PORTFOLIO") as mortgage servicer attempted to collect undisclosed pre-petition and post-petition attorney fees, legal costs, and other miscellaneous debt in violation of the bankruptcy automatic stay 11 U.S.C. § 362 et sec. The Complaint also alleges that the Defendant violated other provisions of Title 11 by charging to the Plaintiff's home mortgage balance undisclosed post-petition legal fees and expenses in excess of legal fees allowed by this court's order dated October 14, 2004. As to the allegations regarding the Defendant's violation of

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the Fair Debt Collections Practices Act, Saylors will amend his complaint to remove that count pertaining to the FDCPA. In addition to removing the FDCPA count, the Plaintiff will amend his complaint to remove the allegations pertaining to violations of 11 U.S.C. § 506.

#### II. UNDISPUTED FACTS

- 1. Jimmy Saylor, as Debtor, filed a Chapter 13 bankruptcy case on April 29, 2002.
- in accordance with the requirements of Chapter 13, Saylor filed a Chapter 13 Plan and proposed to cure certain pre-petition mortgage arrears to the Defendant through the Chapter 13 Trustee.
- 3. The Defendant filed its sworn Proof of Claim regarding the mortgage arrearage on August 2, 2002. The itemized claim, identified on the record as Claim Number 3, stated a total prepetition arrearage in the amount of \$3,225.32.
- 4. Claim Number 3 itemized the total pre-petition amount as follows:
  - a) \$2,325.32 Past due mortgage payments including late charges;
  - b) \$500 Pre-petition collection fees/costs;
  - c) \$400 Proof of Claim costs.
- 5. During the pendency of Saylor's Chapter 13 Bankruptcy case, the Plaintiff fell behind on his mortgage payments and the Defendant filed a Motion for Relief from Stay on September 10, 2004.
- 6. To resolve the post-petition arrearage claim, Saylor's bankruptcy attorney reached an agreement with the Defendant, in the form of an agreement to modify the Plaintiff's chapter 13 plan which this Court ratified by Order entered on October 14, 2004.
- 7. The agreed Order, between SAYLOR and the Defendant, modified Saylor's Plan and provided for curing the post-petition arrearage through the Chapter 13 Plan and payment of \$600 in attorney fees and court costs also to be paid through the Chapter 13 Plan.

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- The Defendant filed its amended claim November 1, 2004, and is identified on the records 8. of the Clerk of Court as Claim Number 8.
- 9. In its post-petition Proof of Claim, the Defendant disclosed \$600 in attorney fees and court costs which was approved by this Honorable Court in the Order entered on October 14, 2004.
- On May 18, 2006, pursuant to the Real Estate Settlement and Procedures Act, Saylor's 10. bankruptcy attorney submitted a Qualified Written Request (hereinafter "QWR") to review the loan transaction history.
- 11. The Defendant responded to the QWR with a five (5) page transaction history detailing all of the mortgage loan activity. A copy of the transaction history is attached hereto as "Exhibit A."
- The mortgage loan transaction history details legal fees and legal costs assessed to the 12. Plaintiff's mortgage balance throughout the duration of Saylor's Chapter 13 bankruptcy case.
- The transaction history, identified as "Exhibit A", provided evidence that the Defendant 13. charged Saylor's \$500 foreclosure attorney fees on July 9, 2002; \$200 bankruptcy attorney fees on July 31, 2002; and, \$200 bankruptcy legal costs on July 31, 2002. All of these legal fees and costs were disclosed in the Defendant's Proof of Claim identified on the record as Claim Number 3.
- The transaction history, identified as "Exhibit A", provided further evidence that the 14. Defendant charged Saylor's mortgage account \$456 in bankruptcy legal costs on September 23, 2002. The \$456 bankruptcy legal cost was not disclosed in Proof of Claim Number 3 and was previously unknown to the Plaintiff until the Defendant provided the "Exhibit A" transaction history.

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- In further response to the OWR, the Defendant submitted an itemized "PAYOFF 15. STATEMENT" detailing the amount necessary for the Plaintiff to "payoff" his mortgage loan. The "PAYOFF STATEMENT" provides that the "payoff statement expires and is void after 06-23-06." Page 2, paragraph 3, payoff statement, attached hereto as Exhibit "B."
- 16. The "PAYOFF STATEMENT" also provides that "additional legal fees or costs associated with the servicing of your loan may accrue daily ... ." Id at paragraph 5.
- The "PAYOFF STATEMENT" even further provides that "[a] copy of the payoff statement 17. must accompany your payoff check." Id at page 3, paragraph 8.
- In the agreed Order entered on October 14, 2004, this Honorable Court allowed an 18. additional attorney fee and court costs in the total amount of \$600 for the fees and costs associated with the Defendant filing a Motion for Relief from Stay.
- 20. In the transaction history, identified as "Exhibit A", the Defendant provided evidence that the Defendant charged the Plaintiff \$550 on September 10, 2004, for bankruptcy attorney fees; \$400 on September 10, 2004, for bankruptcy legal costs; and, \$200 on November 2, 2004, for bankruptcy attorney fees.
- Of the \$1,150 in bankruptcy attorney fees and costs charged to the Plaintiff's mortgage 21. loan, post-confirmation, and in connection with the Motion for Relief from Stay, only \$600 was disclosed and allowed by this Honorable Court.
- In addition to the excess legal fees and costs, not disclosed and not approved by this 22. Honorable Court, the Defendant charged the Plaintiff an undisclosed property inspection fee on June 7, 2002, in the amount of \$11.35; an undisclosed property inspection fee in the amount of \$11.35 on July 12, 2002; a broker price opinion in the amount of \$85.00 on January 21, 2004; a broker price opinion in the amount of \$85.00 on November 2, 2004; a broker price opinion in the amount of \$85.00 on May 5, 2005; and, a broker price

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opinion in the amount of \$85.00 on November 14, 2005. In addition, the Defendant charged \$722.35 to the Plaintiff's mortgage loan balance on May 18, 2006, for a costlabeled corporate advance.

- 23. In summary, the transaction history, identified as "Exhibit A", reveals total fees charged to Saylor's mortgage loan in the amount of \$3,591.05. Of this amount, only \$1,500.00 was disclosed and \$2,091.05 were undisclosed.
- 24. Of the undisclosed fees, \$1,006.00 represents attorney fees and costs that were not disclosed or approved.
- On July 10, 2006, Saylor, by and through the undersigned attorney, initiated this adversary 25. proceeding against the Defendant, for violating 11 U.S.C. §§ 105, 362, 506, and Federal Rule of Bankruptcy Procedure 2016. In addition, the Plaintiff also alleges violations of the Fair Debt Collection Practices Act.
- 26. On August 10, 2006, the Defendant filed a Motion to Dismiss pursuant to Federal Rule of Bankruptcy Procedure 7012(b)(6) alleging that the Plaintiff failed to state sufficient grounds in his Complaint upon which relief could be granted.
- 27. On September 27, 2006, the Defendant filed a brief in support of its motion to dismiss.
- 28. The Plaintiff presents the instant brief in opposition to the Defendant's Motion to Dismiss.

#### III. LEGAL ISSUES

1. Is the holding in Telfair v. First Union Mortg. Corp., 216 F.3d 1333 (11th Cir. 2000) of such a specific nature as to allow this Court to dismiss the instant case for failure to state a claim upon which relief may be granted? No. The Telfair decision was very fact specific. There is no evidence before this Honorable Court to allow it an opportunity to decide whether undisclosed legal fees should have been included in the Defendant's proof of claim, paid by the trustee, and therefore property of the bankruptcy estate.

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- 2. Is there sufficient evidence before this Honorable Court to determine whether the legal services, for which the fees where charged, were rendered before or after confirmation? No. There is no evidence before this Honorable Court to allow it an opportunity to determine when, or if, legal services were rendered prior to confirmation.
- 3. Can a mortgage servicer (the defendant) add undisclosed pre-confirmation legal fees to the mortgagor's (the Plaintiff) principal loan balance during the course of a chapter 13 plan repayment without violating the mandates of 11 U.S.C. § 362? No. The Telfair decision only concerned charges not effecting the estate and occurring post-confirmation.
- 4. Can the Court award damages and attorney fees pursuant to its inherent and statutory contempt powers, as defined by 11 U.S.C. § 105, against the defendant for charging undisclosed legal fee in excess of an amount previously allowed by Court Order? Yes. This Honorable Court "may issue any ... judgment that is necessary or appropriate to carry out the provisions of [Title 11]." 11 U.S.C. § 105.
- 5. Does the submission of a "payoff statement" in response to a Qualified Written Request constitute an act to collect a debt in accordance with 11 U.S.C. § 362(a). Yes. The payoff statement constitutes an amount that the Defendant claims is due and owing. Specifically, a "PAYOFF STATEMENT" "must accompany [a] payoff check."

#### IV. ARGUMENT & ANALYSIS

- 1. The Defendant filed its Motion To Dismiss pursuant to Federal Rule of Bankruptcy Procedure 7012(b)(6). Rule 7012 makes Rule 12(b)(6), of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure, applicable in all bankruptcy adversary proceedings.
- 2. This Honorable Court should only grant a Motion To Dismiss when the movant demonstrates "beyond doubt that the Plaintiff can prove no set of facts in support of his claim which

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- 3. This Honorable Court must "accept as truth all well-pleaded factual allegations and...view them in a light most favorable to the nonmoving party." Looney v. Hyundai Motor Mfg. Ala., LLC, 330 F. Supp. 2d 1289, 1290 (D. Ala. 2004) (citations omitted).
- 4. The Defendant alleges that the mere response to a Qualified Written Request cannot constitute an "act" to collect a debt in violation of 11 U.S.C. § 362(a). That is, the Defendant merely responded to a legal obligation and should not be liable for providing its response.
- 5. The Defendant's argument falls short. The Defendant argues that it actually assessed undisclosed fees to the loan, did not intend to reveal them to anyone, but since it had a legal obligation to comply with the RESPA request it should not be penalized now for having to tell the truth. The Defendant is not entitled to a Miranda warning. The Defendant's argument suggests that the Plaintiff coerced a confession. The Plaintiff did not force the Defendant to pick which law to violate.
- 6. The payoff statement contains "Advance Balances" equal to the amount of post-petition fees, both disclosed and undisclosed. Because a "payoff statement must accompany [a] payoff check, the payoff statement alone is sufficient evidence of the Defendant's attempt to collect a debt.
- 7. In viewing the allegations in a light most favorable to the Plaintiff, this Honorable Court could conclude, without further evidence, that the "PAYOFF STATEMENT" is an attempt to collect a debt. After all, the Plaintiff must include a "payoff statement" with his payoff check. See Exhibit "B", page 3, paragraph 8.

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- 8. In its brief in support of the Motion To Dismiss, Defendant cites to the Eleventh Circuit decision of Telfair as standing for the proposition that it may charge undisclosed post confirmation fees without violating the provisions of 11 U.S.C. § 362(a)(3) or (4). Telfair v. First Union Mortg. Corp., 216 F.3d 1333 (11th Cir. 2000).
- 9. Contrary to Defendant's assertion, Telfair does not create a carte blanc rule of law permitting the Defendant mortgage servicer to charge undisclosed fees, to the mortgagor's principal balance, absent court inquiry as to the potential effect of the undisclosed fees on the Debtor's bankruptcy estate. Instead, Telfair creates a rule of law to reconcile 11 U.S.C. §§ 1306 and 1327 to determine the definition of estate property in chapter 13 post confirmation.
- 10. Because the Defendant's 12(b)(6) Motion To Dismiss does not provide evidence as to the impact or effect of the undisclosed fees, this Honorable Court cannot glean, from the undisputed facts, whether the undisclosed fees impact the bankruptcy estate.
- 11. In discussing the rationale as set forth in Telfair, Judge Margaret Mahoney pointed out that pre confirmation fees are necessarily included in a secured creditor's proof of claim "in a chapter 13 bankruptcy case...." Harris v. First Union Mortg. Corp. (In re Harris), 2002 Bankr. LEXIS 771, 17 (Bankr. D. Ala. 2002).
- 12. Judge Mahoney made further reference to the fact that pre confirmation legal fees are a necessary part of a mortgage servicer's secured claim. Harris v. First Union Mortg. Corp at 17. Furthermore, "the proof of claim fee must be disclosed so that the Debtor knows the fee is part of the secured claim. Second, the fee should be included in the arrearage claim portion of the debt so that the Debtor can pay the fee through his or her plan as allowed by 11 U.S.C. § 1322(b)(5)," ld.

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- 13. In the instant case, the Plaintiff asserts that a pre-petition pre-confirmation legal fee was included in the Defendant's proof of claim. Further, the Plaintiff asserts that an undisclosed pre-petition pre-confirmation fee was charged to the Plaintiff's mortgage balance. See Plaintiff's Complaint at 1 19.
- 14. The Plaintiff's Chapter 13 plan was confirmed on September 18, 2002. Although the Defendant charged \$456.00 of undisclosed bankruptcy legal costs on September 23, 2002, there is no evidence available to indicate the nature of such costs, and whether it was incurred pre or post-confirmation. For this reason alone, the Defendant's Motion To Dismiss must fail. Harper v. Blockbuster Entm't Corp., 139 F.3d 1385, 1387 (11th Cir. 1998) (citations omitted), Looney v. Hyundai Motor Mfg. Ala., LLC, 330 F. Supp. 2d 1289, 1290 (D. Ala. 2004) (citations omitted).
- **15**. It is beyond comprehension that the Telfair Court holding permits mortgage servicers to indiscriminately charge undisclosed fees, at a time of its choosing, to manipulate the provisions of the bankruptcy code to determine whether property is property of the bankruptcy estate. In viewing the facts in a light most favorable to the Plaintiff, the Court may conclude that the Defendant's failure to disclose additional legal fees is a manipulation of estate property. Alternatively, the Court may conclude that the undisclosed legal fees should have been included in the Defendant's proof of claim, and should have been paid in arrears through the Chapter 13 Trustee with estate property.
- 16. The Court in Telfair held that a mortgage servicer might charge post confirmation fees and later collect those fees after a Chapter 13 Debtor's discharge. Telfair v. First Union Mortg. Corp., 216 F.3d 1333 (11th Cir. 2000). The Court's holding, however, applied only to post confirmation fees. As discussed supra, there is no viable evidence for this Court to

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ascertain the exact nature of the \$456.00 bankruptcy legal charge assessed to the Plaintiff's account on September 23, 2002. Because the fee was assessed in such close proximity to the confirmation date, to wit: September 18, 2002, it stands to reason that the service, for the fee, accrued prior to confirmation. If so, 11 U.S.C. § 1306 mandates that all of the Debtor's property pre-confirmation remains property of the bankruptcy estate. An attempt to later collect those fees runs afoul of 11 U.S.C. §§ 362(a)(3) & (4). That is, if the alleged legal service, and subsequent fee, concerned pre-confirmation activity, the Defendant violated the § 362(a) when it attempted to collect those fees.

- **1**7. It is undisputed that the Plaintiff, as Debtor, fell behind on his mortgage payments. On September 10, 2004, some two years after filing for Chapter 13 bankruptcy relief, the Defendant filed a Motion For Relief From Automatic Stay. Implicit in the Defendant's request for relief from the automatic stay is that the Plaintiff was in default on his mortgage payments. To resolve the post petition, post confirmation default the Debtor's had to cure the delinquency and put his mortgage in such position that it was current when he completed the chapter 13. The mortgage default was cured by plan modification whereby the Plaintiff's bankruptcy counsel and the Defendant's bankruptcy counsel entered into a consent agreement. The Consent Order was entered by this Honorable Court on October 14, 2004.
- The October 14, 2004, Consent Order, modified the Debtor's plan to provide that "([the] 18. Debtor's) post petition arrearage due Select Servicing..., plus attorney fees / costs and court costs in the amount of \$600.00, is to be included by the Debtor(s) plan. The Debtor(s) plan shall be amended to include the aforementioned post petition arrearage, fees and costs due Select Servicing...." This Honorable Court confirmed the modified plan on October 14, 2004. See docket entry number 33, Debtor's Chapter 13 docket report.

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- 11 U.S.C. § 1329 allows the Debtor to modify his plan after confirmation. Specifically, 11 19. U.S.C. § 1329(b)(2) provides that "[the] plan as modified becomes the plan...."
- In the instant case, the Defendant had two (2) opportunities to file a proof of claim 20. pertaining to mortgage arrears. In the first instance, the Defendant filed a "pre petition arrearage proof of claim" on August 2, 2002, and affirmed that the "Debtor(s) is / are indebted to the claimant [in the amount of] pre-petition collection fees / costs \$500.00 [and] attorney's fees / costs (proof of claim) \$400.00. The proof of claim makes no reference to other bankruptcy legal fees or costs associated with the pre petition arrears. Furthermore, the Defendant did not modify its proof of claim to include any additional prepetition arrears.
- In accordance with the modified plan, the Defendant filed a sworn proof of claim, identified 21. as claim number 8 on the records of the Clerk of Court, and affirmed that "the amounts of all payments on this claim have been credited and deducted for the purpose of making this claim." Furthermore, the Defendant stated that the Debtor was "indebted to the claimant as follows...post petition attorney's fees / costs (per Court's Order dated October 14, 2004) \$600.00."
- 22. In both instances, the Defendant asserted that it was entitled to certain legal fees and costs. That is, legal fees and costs were disclosed and included in the proof of claims. In reliance on the amount necessary to cure the arrears, and in accordance with 11 U.S.C. § 1322(b)(3), the Plaintiff / Debtor proposed to cure the alleged default.
- 23. To cure the default, including the alleged legal fees, the Debtor proposed payments through the Chapter 13 Trustee.

- 24. In accordance with the Telfair decision, the Debtor originally proposed to pay plan payments, with estate property, to cure the original arrearage. After he (the Plaintiff / Debtor) fell in arrears on his post petition payments, the Debtor increased his Chapter 13 plan payments, with estate property, to cure the post petition arrears. In viewing the evidence in a light most favorable to the Plaintiff, this Court may conclude that undisclosed legal fees should have been included with both proof of claims, and should have therefore been paid for with estate property. Telfair does not stand for the proposition that the Defendant my withhold an arrearage amount to manipulate estate property.
- 25. The Defendant's argument that it should be allowed the option of charging whatever professional legal fees it sees fit, only to hide under the shadow of Telfair so long as the legal fees were allegedly added post confirmation, not disclosed and collected post discharge.
- 26. If allowed, the Defendant's rationale makes certain provisions of Chapter 13 obsolete and nonfunctional.
- As Judge Mahoney pointed out, a creditor "cannot decide for the Debtor what arrearage or 27. costs the Debtor may pay in his or her plan and what arrearage he may not pay in his plan by picking and choosing which...costs to disclose." Hams v. First Union Mortg. Corp. (In re Harris), 2002 Bankr. LEXIS 771, 19 (Bankr. D. Ala. 2002),
- 11 U.S.C. § 1332(b)(5) "is a provision of the bankruptcy code which gives the Debtor 28. options for plan formulation, not the creditor. If the Debtor does not know all of his debts, he cannot exercise his options most effectively for himself. A creditor should not be able to dictate to a Debtor which option he selects by its non disclosure." Harris v. First Union Mortg. Corp at 19,

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- 29. The Plaintiff's complaint also seeks to invoke this Honorable Court's inherent and statutory contempt powers as defined by 11 U.S.C. § 105.
- 30. Again, it is undisputed that the Defendant, in its response to the Plaintiff's QWR, made known certain undisclosed legal fees and costs in excess of those amounts claimed in its pre-petition proof of claim and post-petition proof of claim.
- In its pre-petition proof of claim, the Defendant affirmed to this Honorable Court that the 31. Plaintiff was indebted to the Defendant in a specific amount regarding legal fees and costs. In fact, the Plaintiff was apparently indebted in an amount greater than that amount affirmed by the Defendant in its proof of claim.
- 32. After falling behind on his post-petition mortgage payments, the Defendant once again affirmed that the Plaintiff was indebted to the Defendant in a specific amount of postpetition attorney fees and costs. This Honorable Court ratified the attorney fees and costs on October 14, 2004.
- 33. In an apparent disregard for this Court's October 14, 2004, Order, the Defendant charged an additional \$550.00 in bankruptcy attorney fees.
- 34. The Plaintiff's complaint clearly requests this Honorable Court to invoke its inherent and statutory contempt powers to enforce the amount the Defendant claimed was owed for prepetition legal fees and to enforce the amount the Defendant claimed was owed for postpetition legal fees.
- 35. Apparently, the Defendant believes that Telfair allows it to disclose certain legal fees to this Court, allow the Court to enter an order approving such legal fees, and then charge an amount in excess of the Court order. Specifically, the Defendant's response to the Plaintiff's qualified written request indicates that \$1,006.00 in undisclosed attorney fees and costs were charged to the Plaintiff's mortgage balance.

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- 36. The Eleventh Circuit, in addressing the bankruptcy court's contempt powers, provided that "[the] language of § 105 encompasses any type of order, whether injunctive, compensative, or punitive, as long as it is "necessary or appropriate to carry out the provisions of the bankruptcy code." Hardy v. United States (In re Hardy), 97 F.3d 1384, 1389 (11th Cir. 1996).
- "Therefore, the focus of the Court's inquiry in civil contempt proceedings is...whether in fact 37. their conduct complied with the order at issue." Howard Johnson Co. v. Khimani, 892 F.2d 1512, 1516 (11th Cir. 1990).
- 38. Viewed in a light most favorable to the Plaintiff, this Court must assume as true the Plaintiff's assertion that the Defendant violated this Court's prior order allowing a specific amount of attorney fees.
- 39. The Defendant also suggests that this Court is not the proper forum and suggests that only the Alabama State Court is equipped to hear this action. For the reasons, previously stated, there is sufficient evidence from the Defendant to suggest that it charged undisclosed fees to manipulate property of the bankruptcy estate, in violation of this Court's prior Court Order. Both allegations implicate 11 U.S.C. §§ 105 and 362.

#### V. CONCLUSION

Federal Rule of Bankruptcy Procedure 3001(f) provides that "[a] proof of claim executed and filed in accordance with [the Federal Rules of Bankruptcy Procedure] shall constitute prima facie evidence of the validity of the and amount of the claim." In two (2) instances, the Defendant filed proof of claims disclosing certain legal fees. In reliance on the amounts contained in the proof of claim, and in accordance with 11 U.S.C. § 1322(b)(3), the Plaintiff as Debtor formulated his Chapter 13 plan to provide for the curing of certain mortgage defaults. The Chapter 13 plan

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provision, dealing with his mortgage defaults, necessitated the Debtor committing certain proceeds to fund his Chapter 13 plan. The committed proceeds constituted estate property.

In accordance with the estate transformation approach, as outlined by the Eleventh Circuit, the default was cured through payment of bankruptcy estate property. Unbeknownst to the Plaintiff, and this Honorable Court, the Defendant apparently added additional legal fees to the Plaintiff's mortgage balance. The Eleventh Circuit, in formulating the estate transformation approach, did not hold as a rule of law that mortgage servicers may pick and choose the legal fees that would be disclosed and those that would not be disclosed. In fact, such rule of law perverts the bankruptcy code, thereby rendering certain code sections inoperable.

Although the Defendant has no obligation to file a proof of claim, it decided to pursue treatment under the plan for its secured arrearage claim as evidenced by its filing two proof of claims. Withholding and not disclosing the additional legal fees affected property of the bankruptcy estate. Furthermore, there is no evidence as to when these legal services were performed. In fact, the Court must accept as true that some or all of these legal services were performed pre-petition. if so, the Defendant is attempting to collect a pre-confirmation indebtedness which, by definition, encompasses property of the bankruptcy estate.

This Court also has jurisdiction pursuant to its inherent and statutory contempt powers to enter an appropriate judgment against the Defendant for charging an amount apparently in excess of an amount previously allowed by Court order dated October 14, 2004. For this reason alone, the Defendant's Motion To Dismiss must fail in that the Plaintiff clearly asserted violation of 11 U.S.C. § 105. The Plaintiff requests this Honorable Court deny the Defendant's Motion To Dismiss.

Respectfully submitted this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 2006.

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PAYOFF STATEMENT Loan Number 3006962033

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May 25, 2006

Payment Due Date 02-28-06

This statement expires on: 06-23-06

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Requested by: David Clark

Mortgagor Name/Property Address Jimmy David Saylor 6911 Lee Rd 390 Opelika AL 36804

THE FOLLOWING AMOUNTS ARE SUBJECT BASED ON THE RECEIPT OF Unpaid Principal Balance Interest Calculated To 06-23-06 Escrow/Impound Advance Balance Loan Level Advance Balance Recording Fee Interest on Advances CREDITS DEDUCTED	TO FINAL VERIFICATION FUNDS \$ 49,838.39 \$ 2,577.03 \$ 828.00 \$ 3,559.70 \$ 8.00 \$ 46.86 \$ 622.50-
Unapplied Funds TOTAL AMOUNT DUE	\$ 56,235.48

Per Diem (Daily Interest) \$ 17.42

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- 1) Payments received within 30 days of the payoff application are subject to clearance by your financial institution.
- 2) The amounts set forth in this statement are subject to final verification. We reserve the right to collect additional amounts in the event escrow or other disbursements were made after the date of this Statement. An amended Payoff Statement will be sent automatically if the amount due set forth in the Payoff Statement changes before the expiration date.

3) This payoff statement expires and is void after 06-23-06. You must obtain an updated WRITTEN statement from us if you want to pay off your loan after the expiration date. Please allow up to 5 business days for us to provide you with an updated statement (unless a shorter timeframe is required by state law).

- 4) If your loan documents indicate a prepayment fee on your account, it is included as part of the total amounts due for payoff. If the prepayment fee is waivable, supporting documentation (final HUD1, grant deed, warranty deed, prepayment rider) must be faxed to (801)269-4269 prior to the receipt of your payoff funds. Upon receipt, the documents will be reveiwed for final determination of waiving the prepayment fee. If you have any questions about the prepayment fee, please contact us at (866)222-3072.
- 5) To the extent applicable, additional legal fees or costs associated with the servicing of your loan may accrue daily (interest will continue to accrue until you pay your loan in full).
- 6) If the amounts received are not sufficient to pay the account in full, we will return the payoff funds in the same manner as they were remitted. Interest will continue to accrue and late charges may be incurred until sufficient funds are received to pay the account in full. To avoid a short payoff, please confirm the actual payoff amount by calling (800) 258-8602. A satisfaction/release of mortgage will not be recorded until all amounts due under the items of your loan documents are received, unless applicable law requires otherwise.
- 7) Do not cancel or stop payment on any of your regularly scheduled monthly payments. Issuance of this Statement does not suspend the contract requirements to make monthly mortgage payments when due. You must continue to make your monthly payments when due up until the time your loan is paid in full. If the last regular monthly payment you sent to us is returned for insufficient funds, is dishonored due to a stop payment order, or payment is not made for any other reason, the payoff amount set forth in this Statement may be increased.

8) Payoff amounts must be remitted in U.S. Dollars by money wire, certified or cashier's check, title company check or an attorney's trustee check. No personal or unofficial checks will be accepted. A copy of the payoff statement must accompany your payoff check. No deliveries should be made on Saturday, Sunday or legal holidays. Payoff funds received after 2:00 P.M. Eastern Time will be processed the following business day.

MAILING INSTRUCTIONS

Attn: Payoff Department

3815 South West Temple

Select Portfolio Servicing, Inc.

Salt Lake City, UT 84115-4412

WIRING INSTRUCTIONS:

Select Portfolio Servicing, Inc.

Salt Lake City, Utah

Attn: Payoff Department

Routing/ABA No: 124001545

Account No: 900900308

Retaining Account

For Credit to: Loan: 3006962033

Name: Jimmy David Saylor

9) If you fail to make your regularly scheduled monthly mortgage payments within 15 days after a current payment is due, a late charge in the amount of \$ 28.46 will be added to the payoff total.

10) If your monthly payments are automatically deducted from your banking account, these payments will continue to be withdrawn until the loan is paid in full, or unless written cancellation instructions are received in our office no later than 15 days prior to the payment due date.

- 11) Escrow Account: Issuance of this Statement does not alter Select Portfolio Servicing's (SPS) responsibility to pay taxes and insurance. If a bill for these items is received prior to the receipt of payoff funds, we will pay them from the escrow account. is not responsible for private agreements between the mortgagor and a third party with regard to the disbursement of escrow funds. funds have accumulated in the escrow account, and if we have been required to pay interest on such funds as provided by state law, interest will be paid to the date the escrow closes. Any deficiencies in the escrow account will be collected at payoff. Any excess funds in the escrow account will be refunded approximately 30 days after the payoff is complete. If lender placed insurance has been charged to the escrow account prior to loan payoff, the full amount will be required to pay off the loan. If appropriate evidence of insurance is received, the applicable refund will be issued to the mortgagee of record within 4-6 weeks. Any escrow balance will be refunded after payoff, provided the last payment applied to the account has cleared the institution on which it was drawn.
- 12) Please provide the proper forwarding address to ensure receipt of applicable escrow refunds, cancelled documents, and annual tax/interest statements. If a forwarding address is not provided, all correspondence will be mailed to the consumer's last known address.
- 13) If you have any questions, please contact our Customer Service Department, at (800) 258-8602, Monday through Friday, between the hours of 7 am and 8 pm Eastern Time.

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EXHIBIT "M"

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## IN THE UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT FOR THE MIDDLE DISTRICT OF ALABAMA EASTERN DIVISION

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#### MOTION TO AMEND COMPLAINT

COMES NOW, the Plaintiff, by and through the undersigned attorney, and moves this Honorable Court for leave to file his first amended complaint. As grounds for his motion, the Plaintiff states that the amended complaint more specifically identifies the legal issues involved and the relief sought.

A copy of the amended complaint is attached hereto as Exhibit "A."

WHEREFORE, the Plaintiff, by and through his undersigned attorney, moves this Honorable Court to grant him leave to amend his complaint, and for all other relief that is just.

Respectfully submitted this day of Oth., 2006

BROCK & STOUT

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**EXHIBIT A** 

## IN THE UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT FOR THE MIDDLE DISTRICT OF ALABAMA **EASTERN DIVISION**

IN RE:	) BANKRUPTCY CASE NO.:
JIMMY D. SAYLOR, & TAMMIE M. SAYLOR,	) ) 02-80576
DEBTORS.	/ ) CHAPTER 13 CASE ************************************
JIMMY D. SAYLOR,	``````````````````````````````````````
PLAINTIFF,	) )
vs.	) A.P. NO.: 06-8035
SELECT PORTFOLIO SERVICING, INC.,	)
DEFENDANT.	)

## PLAINTIFF'S FIRST AMENDED COMPLAINT SEEKING DAMAGES IN CORE ADVERSARY PROCEEDING

#### I. INTRODUCTION

- This is a Complaint for actual and punitive damages filed by the Plaintiff / Debtor pursuant 1. to 11 U.S.C. §§105, 362, 501, 502, 503 & 506 and Rules 7001 and 9011 of the Federal Rules of Bankruptcy Procedure.
- This Complaint also seeks to invoke the Court's inherent and statutory contempt powers to 2. enforce the consent order modifying the Plaintiff's chapter 13 plan, the original confirmation order previously entered in the Plaintiff's chapter 13 bankruptcy case and to enforce other bankruptcy code provisions, to wit: §§ 501 & 506(b), and the rules related thereto.

## II. JURISDICTION AND VENUE

- Jurisdiction is conferred on this Honorable Court pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1334. This 3. proceeding arises in and is related to the above-styled Chapter 13 bankruptcy case and concerns property of the bankruptcy estate. The Court has both personal and subject matter jurisdiction to hear this case pursuant to 28 U.S.C. §§ 157(b)(2) & 1334.
- This Court also has jurisdiction to hear the FDCPA violations pursuant to 15 U.S.C. § 1692. 4. Therefore, Federal subject matter jurisdiction is properly founded on 28 U.S.C. § 1331.
- This matter is primarily a core proceeding and therefore the bankruptcy court has jurisdiction 5. to enter a final order. In the event this case is determined to be a non-core proceeding, the Plaintiff consents to entry of a final order by this Honorable Court.

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6. Venue is proper in this district pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1391(b).

#### III. PARTIES

- 7. The Plaintiff in this case is a Debtor under Chapter 13, Title 11, United States Code. Said Chapter 13 bankruptcy case bears case number 02-80576. The Plaintiff in this instant action is hereinafter referred to as the Plaintiff or the Debtor.
- 8. The Defendant, Select Portfolio Servicing, Inc.(hereinafter, "Select Servicing") is a Utah corporation engaged in the business of real estate mortgage servicing. Select Servicing is the loan servicer for the mortgage loan which is the subject of this action.

#### IV. FACTUAL ALLEGATIONS

- 9. On April 29, 2002, the Plaintiff filed his voluntary Chapter 13 bankruptcy case.
- 10. The Section 341 First Meeting of Creditors was held in Dothan, Alabama on July 2, 2002.
- 11. On September 18, 2002, this Honorable Court confirmed the Plaintiff's Chapter 13 plan.
- 12. The Plaintiff's chapter 13 plan, as confirmed, included a debt to Defendant, scheduled by the Debtor, in the approximate amount of \$51,690.09. The Defendant's debt was scheduled as a claim secured by a first deed of trust on the residential real estate of the Plaintiff's located at 6911 Lee Road 390, Opelika, Alabama 36804. The Plaintiff's chapter 13 plan also proposed to cure the pre-petition arrears, through February 2002, in the amount of \$2,442.31. The Plaintiff further proposed to resume direct payments in May 2002.
- Defendant, Select Servicing, filed a sworn proof of claim for the arrearage on the mortgage loan in the amount of \$3,225.22. This claim is identified on the records of the Clerk of Court as claim number 3.
- 14. On or about September 10, 2004, Select Servicing, filed a motion for relief from stay alleging the Plaintiff, as Debtor, was in default on his post-petition mortgage payments. The motion for relief from stay was ultimately resolved by way of a consent order which modified the Debtor's chapter 13 plan. The modified plan provided for payment of Defendant's attorney fees, costs and Plaintiff's mortgage arrears through the chapter 13 trustee.
- 15. The consent order was entered by the Court on October 14, 2004, and approved legal fees and expenses in the total amount of \$600.00 to be paid to Select Servicing, through the Debtor's chapter 13 plan. This amended claim is identified on the records of the Clerk of Court as claim number 8, and was filed by Select Servicing, on November 1, 2004. The trustee disbursed \$2,658.51 as of May 23, 2006, toward the arrearage claim.
- Subsequent to settling the motion for relief from stay, the Plaintiff's bankruptcy attorney served a "qualified written request", under the Real Estate Settlement Procedures Act, 12 U.S.C. § 2605(e) (hereinafter, RESPA), to the Defendant on May 18, 2006.

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- 17. The Plaintiff's bankruptcy attorney received a RESPA response from Isha Rush, Customer Advocate, Select Servicing, on or about May 24, 2006. The response included a payment history and fees due inquiry.
- 18. The RESPA response indicated that Defendant added at least as much as \$400.00 for prepetition collection fees and costs as well as \$400,00 for attorney fees / Proof of Claim fees. Furthermore, the Defendant disclosed the following fees that were also assessed post petition:

DATE	DESCRIPTION	FEE
June 7, 2002	Inspection fee	\$11.35
July 12, 2002	Inspection fee	\$11.35
September 23, 2002	Undisclosed bankruptcy legal cost	\$456.00
January 21, 2004	Broker Price opinion	\$85.00
September 10, 2004	Undisclosed bankruptcy attorney fees	\$550.00
November 2, 2004	Broker Price opinion	\$85.00
May 5, 2005	Broker Price opinion	\$85.00
November 14, 2005	Broker Price opinion	\$85.00
May 18, 2006	Unknown corporate advance	\$722.35
	TOTAL =	\$2,091.35

- 19. All of said fees were assessed post-petition. The Plaintiff asserts that none of the fees have been approved by the bankruptcy court.
- 20. The Debtor asserts that Select Servicing has assessed his mortgage loan improper, unauthorized, and illegal fees and charges; has improperly posted his post-petition mortgage payments; and has furthermore failed to properly credit the Debtor's account with post-petition disbursements from the office of the chapter 13 trustee.
- 21. The Plaintiff has been damaged by the Defendant's actions in that he has been and continues to be forced to expend his time and expenses to enforce his rights and has incurred substantial and significant legal fees and expenses in connection therewith. The Plaintiff has also been in fear of losing his home.

#### COUNT I

## **VIOLATION OF THE AUTOMATIC STAY**

22. The Plaintiff adopts and incorporate paragraphs 1 through 21 as if fully set out herein.

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- 23. The Defendant's actions in imposing improper, unauthorized and unapproved fees and charges to the Plaintiff's mortgage loan account constitutes a gross violation of the automatic stay as set forth in 11 U.S.C. §362(a)(3).
- 24. The imposition of the unapproved fees constitutes unlawful and illegal bankruptcy fees in violation of the automatic stay and inconsistent with the bankruptcy code.
- 25. By violating 11 U.S.C. § 362, the Defendant is liable to the Plaintiff for actual damages, punitive damages and legal fees.

#### COUNT II

#### VIOLATION OF 11 U.S.C. §§ 105 & 501

- 26. The Plaintiff adopts and incorporates paragraphs 1 through 25 as if fully set out herein.
- 27. The Plaintiff seeks to invoke the Courts inherent and statutory contempt powers pursuant to 11 U.S.C. § 105 to enforce the provisions of Title 11, to wit: 11 U.S.C. § 501.
- 28. 11 U.S.C. § 501(a) states that "a claim ... proof of which is filed under section 501 ... is deemed allowed, unless a party in interest, ... objects."
- 29. The Defendant filed two proofs of claims that purport to contain all arrears the plaintiff owes, the defendant as of the claim date.
- 30. In reality, the defendant charged hidden and unknown legal fees, costs and other fees, that were never disclosed in the proof of claim. As such, the Plaintiff has been denied his ability to object to such charges.
- 31. The Defendant charged two pre-confirmation property inspections that were not disclosed in its original proof of claim.
- 32. The Defendant charged a bankruptcy legal fee on September 23, 2002, that was not disclosed in the defendant's original proof of claim.
- 33. The defendant charged an \$85 Broker Price Opinion that was added to the Plaintiff's mortgage balance and that was not disclosed on the post-petition claim filed by the Defendant on November 1, 2004, in accordance with the Consent Order modifying the chapter 13 plan.
- 34. The Defendant charged a \$550 Bankruptcy Attorney Fee that was added to the Plaintiff's mortgage balance and that was not disclosed on the post-petition claim filed by the Defendant on November 1, 2004, in accordance with the Consent Order modifying the chapter 13 plan.
- 35. Although the Defendant elected to participate in the Plaintiff's chapter 13 plan, by filing proofs of claims, the Defendant has systematically charged hidden and undisclosed fees and costs in contravention of the Bankruptcy code and in defiance of the Bankruptcy Court's Order allowing fees.

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- The Defendant's actions by charging post-petition legal fees and expenses as alleged herein 36. without prior notice or court approval constitutes willful, intentional, gross and flagrant violations of the provisions of 11 U.S.C. §§105 & 501. The charges further violate F.R.B.P. 2016 which provides, in pertinent part, that: "an entity seeking interim or final compensation for services, or reimbursement of necessary expenses, from the estate shall file an application setting forth a detailed statement of (1) the services rendered, time expended and expenses incurred, and (2) the amount request."
- As a result of the above violations, the Defendant is liable to the Plaintiff for actual 37. damages, punitive damages and legal fees.

#### COUNT III

## **VIOLATION OF 11 U.S.C. §§ 105 & 506** IMPROPER AND UNAUTHORIZED FEES

- The Plaintiff adopts and incorporates paragraphs 1 through 37 as if fully set out herein. 38.
- The Plaintiff seeks to invoke the Courts inherent and statutory contempt powers pursuant to 39. 11 U.S.C. § 105 to enforce the provisions of Title 11, to wit: 11 U.S.C. § 506.
- 11 U.S.C. § 506(b) allows an oversecured creditor to receive "reasonable fees, costs, or 40. charges provided for under the agreement under which such claim arose."
- As stated in the Plaintiff's Schedule D, attached to his chapter 13 bankruptcy petition, the 41. Defendant's collateral was secured by a mobile home and land. Furthermore, as stated in the Plaintiff's Schedule D, the Defendant's debt exceeded the value of the property. As such, the Defendant's claim was undersecured.
- The Defendant filed two proofs of claims that purport to contain all arrears the plaintiff 42. owes the defendant as of the claim date.
- In reality, the defendant charged hidden and unknown legal fees, costs and other fees, that 43. were never disclosed in the proof of claim and to which it was not entitled pursuant to 11 U.S.C. § 506.
- The Defendant charged two post-petition, pre-confirmation property inspections that were 44. added to the Plaintiff's mortgage balance and were not disclosed in its original proof of claim. The Defendant was not entitled to such fees pursuant to 11 U.S.C. § 506.
- The Defendant charged a bankruptcy legal fee on September 23, 2002, that were added to 45. the Plaintiff's mortgage balance and were not disclosed in its original proof of claim. The Defendant was not entitled to such fees pursuant to 11 U.S.C. § 506.

- The defendant charged an \$85 Broker Price Opinion that was added to the Plaintiff's 46. mortgage balance and that was not disclosed on the post-petition claim filed by the Defendant on November 1, 2004, in accordance with the Consent Order modifying the chapter 13 plan. Pursuant to 11 U.S.C. § 506, the Defendant was not entitled to the legal
- 47, The Defendant charged a \$550 Bankruptcy Attorney Fee that was added to the Plaintiff's mortgage balance that was not disclosed on the post-petition claim filed by the Defendant on November 1, 2004, in accordance with the Consent Order modifying the chapter 13 plan. Pursuant to 11 U.S.C. § 506, the Defendant was not entitled to the legal fee.
- 48. Although the Defendant elected to participate in the Plaintiff's chapter 13 plan, by filing proofs of claims, the Defendant has systematically charged hidden and undisclosed fees and costs in contravention of the Bankruptcy code and in defiance of the Bankruptcy Court's Order allowing fees. Furthermore, because of its undersecured status, the Defendant is not entitled to such fees.
- 49. The Plaintiff asserts, upon information and belief, that the actions alleged herein are acts in violation of 11 U.S.C. §506, that the fees charged by the Defendant were not part of the underlying agreement by and between the Plaintiff and the Defendant, and that the fees and costs are otherwise unreasonable and excessive.
- 50. As a result of the above violation, the Defendant is liable to the Plaintiff for actual damages, punitive damages and legal fees.

#### **COUNT IV**

## INHERENT & STATUTORY CONTEMPT POWERS PURSUANT TO 11 U.S.C. § 105 IMPROPER AND UNDISCLOSED FEES IN EXCESS OF AMOUNT IN PROOF OF CLAIMS AND IN CONTRAVENTION OF COURT ORDER

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- 53. The Court has inherent contempt powers to carry out "Court Orders."
- 54. 11 U.S.C. § 105 grants the Court statutory powers to "issue any order, process or judgement that is necessary or appropriate to carry out the provisions" of Title 11.
- 55. The Defendant filed two proof of claims that purport to contain all arrears the plaintiff owed the defendant as of the claim date.

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- 56. The Defendant, with complete disregard for the Court's power, and in contravention of the Bankruptcy Code, charged numerous legal fees, other fees and charges that were not disclosed and which were far in excess of the fees disclosed in the proof of claims.
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- 58. The Defendant's actions by charging post-petition legal fees and expenses as alleged herein without prior notice or court approval constitutes willful, intentional, gross and flagrant violations of the provisions of 11 U.S.C. §105.
- 59. As a result of the above violation, the Defendant is liable to the Plaintiff for actual damages, punitive damages and legal fees.

WHEREFORE, the Plaintiff has set forth his claims for relief against the Defendant respectfully prays of the court as follows:

- A. That the Plaintiff have and recover against the Defendant a sum to be determined by the court in the form of actual damages;
- B. That the Plaintiff have and recover against the Defendant a sum to be determined by the court in the form of punitive damages;
- C. That the Plaintiff have and recover against the Defendant all reasonable legal fees and expenses incurred by their attorney; and,

D. That the Plaintiff have such other and further relief as the court may deem just and proper.

Respectfully submitted this

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EXHIBIT "N"

## UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT MIDDLE DISTRICT OF ALABAMA

In re

Case No. 02-80576-WRS Chapter 13

JIMMY D. SAYLOR TAMMIE M. SAYLOR,

Debtors

JIMMY D. SAYLOR,

Plaintiff

Adv. Pro. No. 06-8035-WRS

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SELECT PORTFOLIO SERVICING INC.,

Defendant

## ORDER GRANTING MOTION TO AMEND COMPLAINT AND GRANTING ADDITIONAL TIME TO BRIEF MOTION

On August 10, 2006, Defendant Select Portfolio Services, Inc., filed a motion to dismiss the Plaintiff's complaint. (Doc. 7). The parties have briefed that matter. (Docs. 11, 12, 13). On October 26, 2006, the Plaintiff moved to amend his complaint. (Doc. 14). The Court now GRANTS the motion.

ORDERED, that Defendant Select Portfolio shall file an answer within 10 days of the date of this order and, within 30 days of the date of this order, filed any appropriate amendments or supplements to its brief. If the Defendant considers its

existing briefs adequate, it shall so state. If the Defendant files an Amended Brief, the Plaintiff may file a response within 15 days of service of the amended brief.

Done this 1st day of November, 2006.

/s/ William R. Sawyer United States Bankruptcy Judge

c: David G. Poston, Attorney for Plaintiff Michael E. Bybee, Attorney for Defendant EXHIBIT "O"

JIMMY D. SAYLOR,

Plaintiff.

# IN THE UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT FOR THE MIDDLE DISTRICT OF ALABAMA EASTERN DIVISION

BANKRUPTCY CASE NO. IN RE:

02-80576 HMMY D. SAYLOR and

TAMMIE M. SAYLOR **CHAPTER 13 CASE** Debtors.

A.P. No. 06-08035

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SELECT PORTFOLIO SERVICING, INC.,

Defendant.

# **DEFENDANT'S RESPONSE TO FIRST AMENDED COMPLAINT (EXHBIT "A")**

COMES NOW, Fairbanks Capital Corp. n/k/a Select Portfolio Servicing, Inc., as servicing agent for Eastern Mortgage Services, Inc., (herein after referred to as "SPS"), by and through counsel in the above-styled case and responds to the court order of November 1, 2006, granting Plaintiff's motion to amend the complaint. To date no amendment has been filed, however, in light of said Order, Defendant responds to the Plaintiff's Exhibit "A" herein.

Defendant does not waive any procedural or substitutive right herein, and reserves the right to further amend its responses should the Plaintiff file further or different allegations than those enumerated in Exhibit "A" herein.

Defendant re-alleges and re-incorporates by reference all responses of the Plaintiff's original complaint, as if fully set out herein, except for those specific express changes in response to Exhibit "A" (unfiled) herein.

### I. INTRODUCTION

- Defendant(s) deny as paragraph one is a statement of law, to which no response is 1. required
- Defendant(s) deny as paragraph two is a statement of law, to which no response is 2. required.

### II. JURISDICTION AND VENUE

- 3. Defendant(s) deny as paragraph three is a statement of law, to which no response is required.
- 4. Defendant(s) deny paragraph four as all claims pursuant to the Fair Debt Collections Practices Act, have been withdrawn by the Plaintiff in their motion to amend their original complaint.
- 5. Defendant(s) deny as paragraph five is a statement of law, to which no response is required.
- 6. Defendant(s) deny as paragraph six is a statement of law, to which no response is required.

#### III. PARTIES

- 7. Defendant(s) re-allege and re-incorporate by reference its response to paragraph seven of the original complaint as if fully set out herein.
- 8. Defendant(s) re-allege and re-incorporate by reference its response to paragraph eight of the original complaint as if fully set out herein.

## IV. FACTUAL ALLEGATIONS

- 9. Defendant(s) re-allege and re-incorporate by reference its response to paragraph nine of the original complaint as if fully set out herein.
- 10. Defendant(s) re-allege and re-incorporate by reference its response to paragraph eleven of the original complaint as if fully set out herein.
- 11. Defendant(s) re-allege and re-incorporate by reference its response to paragraph twelve of the original complaint as if fully set out herein.
- 12. Defendant(s) re-allege and re-incorporate by reference its response to paragraph thirteen of the original complaint as if fully set out herein.
- 13. Defendant(s) re-allege and re-incorporate by reference its response to paragraph fourteen of the original complaint as if fully set out herein.
- 14. Defendant(s) re-allege and re-incorporate by reference its response to paragraph fifteen of the original complaint as if fully set out herein.

- 15. Defendant(s) re-allege and re-incorporate by reference its response to paragraph sixteen of the original complaint as if fully set out herein.
- 16. Defendant(s) re-allege and re-incorporate by reference its response to paragraph seventeen of the original complaint as if fully set out herein.
- 17. Defendant(s) re-allege and re-incorporate by reference its response to paragraph eighteen of the original complaint as if fully set out herein.
- 18. Defendant(s) re-allege and re-incorporate by reference its response to paragraph nineteen of the original complaint as if fully set out herein.
- 19. Defendant(s) deny the allegation as described in paragraph nineteen of exhibit "A" (the amended complaint).
- 20. Defendant(s) deny the allegation as described in paragraph twenty of exhibit "A" (the amended complaint).
- 21. Defendant(s) deny the allegation as described in paragraph twenty-one of exhibit "A" (the amended complaint).

### COUNT I

## VIOLATION OF THE AUTOMATIC STAY

- 22. Defendant(s) adopt and re-incorporate its original responses and response to amended paragraphs 1 through 21 as if fully set out herein.
- 23. Defendant(s) deny the allegation as described in paragraph twenty-three of exhibit "A" (the amended complaint).
- 24. Defendant(s) deny the allegations in paragraph twenty-four of exhibit "A" (the amended complaint).
- 25. Defendant(s) deny the allegations in paragraph twenty-five of exhibit "A" (the amended complaint).

## COUNT II

# VIOLATION OF 11 U.S.C. §§ 105 & 506

26. The Defendant(s) adopt and re-incorporates its original responses and to amended paragraphs 1 through 25 as if fully set out herein.

- 27. Defendant(s) deny the allegation as described in paragraph twenty-seven of exhibit "A" (the amended complaint).
- 28. Defendant(s) deny the allegation as described in paragraph twenty-eight of exhibit "A" (the amended complaint).
- 29. Defendant(s) deny the allegation as described in paragraph twenty-nine of exhibit "A" (the amended complaint).
- 30. Defendant(s) deny the allegations in paragraph thirty of exhibit "A" (the amended complaint).
- Defendant(s) deny the allegations in paragraph thirty-one of exhibit "A" (the amended complaint).
- 32. Defendant(s) deny the allegations in paragraph thirty-two of exhibit "A" (the amended complaint).
- Defendant(s) deny the allegation in paragraph thirty-three of exhibit "A" (the amended complaint).
- 34. Defendant(s) deny the allegation in paragraph thirty-four of exhibit "A" (the amended complaint).
- 35. Defendant(s) deny the allegation in paragraph thirty-five of exhibit "A" (the amended complaint).
- 36. Defendant(s) deny the allegation in paragraph thirty-six of exhibit "A" (the amended complaint).
- 37. Defendant(s) deny the allegation in paragraph thirty-seven of exhibit "A" (the amended complaint).

## COUNT III

# VIOLATION OF 11 U.S.C. §§ 105 & 506 IMPROPER AND UNAUTHORIZED FEES

- 38. The Defendant(s) adopt and re-incorporate its original responses and responses to amended paragraphs 1 through 37 as if fully set out herein.
- 39. Defendant(s) deny the allegations in paragraph thirty-nine. Plaintiff has no standing, as a claimant, to invoke the Powers this Court already preserves.
- 40. Paragraph forty calls for legal conclusion therefore, Defendant(s) deny.

- 41. Defendant(s) deny the allegation in paragraph forty-one of exhibit "A" (the amended complaint).
- 42. Defendant(s) deny the allegation in paragraph forty-two of exhibit "A" (the amended complaint).
- 43. Defendant(s) deny the allegation in paragraph forty-three of exhibit "A" (the amended complaint).
- Defendant(s) deny the allegation in paragraph forty-four of exhibit "A" (the amended complaint).
- 45. Defendant(s) deny the allegation in paragraph forty-five of exhibit "A" (the amended complaint).
- 46. Defendant(s) deny the allegation in paragraph forty-six of exhibit "A" (the amended complaint).
- 47. Defendant(s) deny the allegation in paragraph forty-seven of exhibit "A" (the amended complaint).
- 48. Defendant(s) deny the allegation in paragraph forty-eight of exhibit "A" (the amended complaint).
- 49. Defendant(s) deny the allegation in paragraph forty-nine of exhibit "A" (the amended complaint).
- 50. Defendant(s) deny the allegation in paragraph fifty of exhibit "A" (the amended complaint).

## COUNT IV

INHERENT & STATUTORY CONTEMPT POWERS PURSUANT TO 11 U.S.C. § 105 IMPROPER AND UNDISCLOSED FEES IN EXCESS OF AMOUNT IN PROOF OF CLAIMS AND IN CONTRAVENTION OF COURT ORDER

- 51. Defendant(s) adopt and re-incorporate its original responses and responses to paragraphs 1 through 50 as if fully set out herein.
- 52. Defendant(s) deny the allegation in paragraph fifty-two. Plaintiff has no standing, as a claimant, to invoke powers this Court already preserves.
- 53. Paragraph fifty-three calls for legal conclusion therefore, Defendant(s) deny.

- 54. Paragraph fifty-four calls for legal conclusion therefore, Defendant(s) deny.
- 55. Defendant(s) deny the allegation in paragraph fifty-five of exhibit "A" (the amended complaint)
- Defendant(s) deny the allegation in paragraph fifty-six of exhibit "A" (the amended complaint).
- 57. Defendant(s) deny the allegation in paragraph fifty-seven of exhibit "A" (the amended complaint).
- 58. Defendant(s) deny the allegation in paragraph fifty-eight of exhibit "A" (the amended complaint).
- Defendant(s) deny the allegation in paragraph fifty-nine of exhibit "A" (the amended complaint).
- Defendant(s) re-allege and incorporate by reference all affirmative defenses from Defendant's original response.

The defendant pleads any other matter which constitutes an avoidance or affirmative defense. Defendant reserves the right to supplement its answer, as further defenses are revealed through discovery and prosecution of this case.

Defendant re-incorporates by reference all previous responses, both in the original answer and in its answer to the proposed amendment (exhibit "A") herein, and Defendant prays that any and all relief requested by the complaint and proposed amended complaint (exhibit "A") be denied.

WHEREFORE, the premises considered, the defendant, SPS, respectfully requests that all requests of Plaintiff's prayer for relief be denied, the defendant be awarded attorneys fees for defense of this Complaint, and that such other and further relief be afforded the Defendant, SPS.

/s/ Michael E. Bybee MICHAEL E. BYBEE Attorney for the Defendant(s) 2107 Fifth Avenue N, Suite 200 Birmingham, Al 35203-3387 (205) 252-1622 Telephone (205) 252-2888 Fax 6539-N-2245

# **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I hereby certify that on the 10th day of November, 2006, I have served a copy of the above and foregoing on all parties in interest via united States Mail and/or electronic notification by the court:

# ATTORNEY FOR PLAINTIFF/DEBTOR

David G. Poston P.O. Drawer 6504 Dothan, AL 36302-6504

# TRUSTEE

Curtis C. Reding P.O. Box 173 Montgomery, AL 36101

/s/ Michael E. Bybee Michael E. Bybee EXHIBIT "P"

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## IN THE UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT FOR THE MIDDLE DISTRICT OF ALABAMA **EASTERN DIVISION**

IN RE:	) BANKRUPTCY CASE NO.:
JIMMY D. SAYLOR, &	) ) 02-80576
TAMMIE M. SAYLOR,  DEBTORS.  ***********************************	) CHAPTER 13 CASE ************************************
JIMMY D. SAYLOR,	)
PLAINTIFF,	)
vs.	) A.P. NO.: 06-8035
SELECT PORTFOLIO SERVICING, INC.,	)
DEFENDANT.	)

# PLAINTIFF'S FIRST AMENDED COMPLAINT SEEKING DAMAGES IN CORE ADVERSARY PROCEEDING

# I. INTRODUCTION

- This is a Complaint for actual and punitive damages filed by the Plaintiff / Debtor pursuant 1. to 11 U.S.C. §§105, 362, 501, 502, 503 & 506 and Rules 7001 and 9011 of the Federal Rules of Bankruptcy Procedure.
- This Complaint also seeks to invoke the Court's inherent and statutory contempt powers to 2. enforce the consent order modifying the Plaintiff's chapter 13 plan, the original confirmation order previously entered in the Plaintiff's chapter 13 bankruptcy case and to enforce other bankruptcy code provisions, to wit: §§ 501 & 506(b), and the rules related thereto.

# II. JURISDICTION AND VENUE

- Jurisdiction is conferred on this Honorable Court pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1334. This 3. proceeding arises in and is related to the above-styled Chapter 13 bankruptcy case and concerns property of the bankruptcy estate. The Court has both personal and subject matter jurisdiction to hear this case pursuant to 28 U.S.C. §§ 157(b)(2) & 1334.
- This Court also has jurisdiction to hear the FDCPA violations pursuant to 15 U.S.C. § 1692. 4. Therefore, Federal subject matter jurisdiction is properly founded on 28 U.S.C. § 1331.
- This matter is primarily a core proceeding and therefore the bankruptcy court has jurisdiction 5. to enter a final order. In the event this case is determined to be a non-core proceeding, the Plaintiff consents to entry of a final order by this Honorable Court.

Venue is proper in this district pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1391(b). 6.

#### III. PARTIES

- The Plaintiff in this case is a Debtor under Chapter 13, Title 11, United States Code. Said 7. Chapter 13 bankruptcy case bears case number 02-80576. The Plaintiff in this instant action is hereinafter referred to as the Plaintiff or the Debtor.
- The Defendant, Select Portfolio Servicing, Inc. (hereinafter, "Select Servicing") is a Utah 8. corporation engaged in the business of real estate mortgage servicing. Select Servicing is the loan servicer for the mortgage loan which is the subject of this action.

#### IV. FACTUAL ALLEGATIONS

- On April 29, 2002, the Plaintiff filed his voluntary Chapter 13 bankruptcy case. 9.
- The Section 341 First Meeting of Creditors was held in Dothan, Alabama on July 2, 2002. **1**0.
- On September 18, 2002, this Honorable Court confirmed the Plaintiff's Chapter 13 plan. 11.
- The Plaintiff's chapter 13 plan, as confirmed, included a debt to Defendant, scheduled by 12. the Debtor, in the approximate amount of \$51,690.09. The Defendant's debt was scheduled as a claim secured by a first deed of trust on the residential real estate of the Plaintiffs located at 6911 Lee Road 390, Opelika, Alabama 36804. The Plaintiff's chapter 13 plan also proposed to cure the pre-petition arrears, through February 2002, in the amount of \$2,442.31. The Plaintiff further proposed to resume direct payments in May 2002.
- Defendant, Select Servicing, filed a sworn proof of claim for the arrearage on the mortgage 13. loan in the amount of \$3,225.22. This claim is identified on the records of the Clerk of Court as claim number 3.
- On or about September 10, 2004, Select Servicing, filed a motion for relief from stay 14. alleging the Plaintiff, as Debtor, was in default on his post-petition mortgage payments. The motion for relief from stay was ultimately resolved by way of a consent order which modified the Debtor's chapter 13 plan. The modified plan provided for payment of Defendant's attorney fees, costs and Plaintiff's mortgage arrears through the chapter 13 trustee.
- The consent order was entered by the Court on October 14, 2004, and approved legal fees 15. and expenses in the total amount of \$600.00 to be paid to Select Servicing, through the Debtor's chapter 13 plan. This amended claim is identified on the records of the Clerk of Court as claim number 8, and was filed by Select Servicing, on November 1, 2004. The trustee disbursed \$2,658.51 as of May 23, 2006, toward the arrearage claim.
- Subsequent to settling the motion for relief from stay, the Plaintiff's bankruptcy attorney 16. served a "qualified written request", under the Real Estate Settlement Procedures Act, 12 U.S.C. § 2605(e) (hereinafter, RESPA), to the Defendant on May 18, 2006.

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- The Plaintiff's bankruptcy attorney received a RESPA response from Isha Rush, Customer 17. Advocate, Select Servicing, on or about May 24, 2006. The response included a payment history and fees due inquiry.
- The RESPA response indicated that Defendant added at least as much as \$400.00 for pre-18. petition collection fees and costs as well as \$400.00 for attorney fees / Proof of Claim fees. Furthermore, the Defendant disclosed the following fees that were also assessed post petition:

DATE	DESCRIPTION		FEE
June 7, 2002	Inspection fee		<b>\$11.35</b>
July 12, 2002	Inspection fee		\$11.35
September 23, 2002	Undisclosed bankruptcy legal cost		\$456.00
January 21, 2004	Broker Price opinion		\$85.00
September 10, 2004	Undisclosed bankruptcy attorney fees		\$550.00
November 2, 2004	Broker Price opinion		\$85.00
May 5, 2005	Broker Price opinion		\$85.00
November 14, 2005	Broker Price opinion		\$85.00
May 18, 2006	Unknown corporate advance		\$722.35
		TOTAL =	\$2,091.35

- All of said fees were assessed post-petition. The Plaintiff asserts that none of the fees have 19. been approved by the bankruptcy court.
- The Debtor asserts that Select Servicing has assessed his mortgage loan improper, 20. unauthorized, and illegal fees and charges; has improperly posted his post-petition mortgage payments; and has furthermore failed to properly credit the Debtor's account with post-petition disbursements from the office of the chapter 13 trustee.
- The Plaintiff has been damaged by the Defendant's actions in that he has been and 21. continues to be forced to expend his time and expenses to enforce his rights and has incurred substantial and significant legal fees and expenses in connection therewith. The Plaintiff has also been in fear of losing his home.

#### COUNT I

### **VIOLATION OF THE AUTOMATIC STAY**

22. The Plaintiff adopts and incorporate paragraphs 1 through 21 as if fully set out herein.

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- 23. The Defendant's actions in imposing improper, unauthorized and unapproved fees and charges to the Plaintiff's mortgage loan account constitutes a gross violation of the automatic stay as set forth in 11 U.S.C. §362(a)(3).
- 24. The imposition of the unapproved fees constitutes unlawful and illegal bankruptcy fees in violation of the automatic stay and inconsistent with the bankruptcy code.
- 25. By violating 11 U.S.C. § 362, the Defendant is liable to the Plaintiff for actual damages, punitive damages and legal fees.

#### COUNT II

## VIOLATION OF 11 U.S.C. §§ 105 & 501

- 26. The Plaintiff adopts and incorporates paragraphs 1 through 25 as if fully set out herein.
- 27. The Plaintiff seeks to invoke the Courts inherent and statutory contempt powers pursuant to 11 U.S.C. § 105 to enforce the provisions of Title 11, to wit: 11 U.S.C. § 501.
- 28. 11 U.S.C. § 501(a) states that "a claim ... proof of which is filed under section 501 ... is deemed allowed, unless a party in interest, ... objects."
- 29. The Defendant filed two proofs of claims that purport to contain all arrears the plaintiff owes the defendant as of the claim date.
- 30. In reality, the defendant charged hidden and unknown legal fees, costs and other fees, that were never disclosed in the proof of claim. As such, the Plaintiff has been denied his ability to object to such charges.
- 31. The Defendant charged two pre-confirmation property inspections that were not disclosed in its original proof of claim.
- 32. The Defendant charged a bankruptcy legal fee on September 23, 2002, that was not disclosed in the defendant's original proof of claim.
- 33. The defendant charged an \$85 Broker Price Opinion that was added to the Plaintiff's mortgage balance and that was not disclosed on the post-petition claim filed by the Defendant on November 1, 2004, in accordance with the Consent Order modifying the chapter 13 plan.
- 34. The Defendant charged a \$550 Bankruptcy Attorney Fee that was added to the Plaintiff's mortgage balance and that was not disclosed on the post-petition claim filed by the Defendant on November 1, 2004, in accordance with the Consent Order modifying the chapter 13 plan.
- 35. Although the Defendant elected to participate in the Plaintiff's chapter 13 plan, by filing proofs of claims, the Defendant has systematically charged hidden and undisclosed fees and costs in contravention of the Bankruptcy code and in defiance of the Bankruptcy Court's Order allowing fees.

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The Defendant's actions by charging post-petition legal fees and expenses as alleged herein 36. without prior notice or court approval constitutes willful, intentional, gross and flagrant violations of the provisions of 11 U.S.C. §§105 & 501. The charges further violate F.R.B.P. 2016 which provides, in pertinent part, that: "an entity seeking interim or final compensation for services, or reimbursement of necessary expenses, from the estate shall file an application setting forth a detailed statement of (1) the services rendered, time expended and expenses incurred, and (2) the amount request."

As a result of the above violations, the Defendant is liable to the Plaintiff for actual 37. damages, punitive damages and legal fees.

#### COUNT III

## VIOLATION OF 11 U.S.C. §§ 105 & 506 IMPROPER AND UNAUTHORIZED FEES

- The Plaintiff adopts and incorporates paragraphs 1 through 37 as if fully set out herein. 38.
- The Plaintiff seeks to invoke the Courts inherent and statutory contempt powers pursuant to 39. 11 U.S.C. § 105 to enforce the provisions of Title 11, to wit: 11 U.S.C. § 506.
- 11 U.S.C. § 506(b) allows an oversecured creditor to receive "reasonable fees, costs, or 40. charges provided for under the agreement under which such claim arose."
- As stated in the Plaintiff's Schedule D, attached to his chapter 13 bankruptcy petition, the 41. Defendant's collateral was secured by a mobile home and land. Furthermore, as stated in the Plaintiff's Schedule D, the Defendant's debt exceeded the value of the property. As such, the Defendant's claim was undersecured.
- The Defendant filed two proofs of claims that purport to contain all arrears the plaintiff 42. owes the defendant as of the claim date.
- In reality, the defendant charged hidden and unknown legal fees, costs and other fees, that 43. were never disclosed in the proof of claim and to which it was not entitled pursuant to 11 U.S.C. § 506.
- The Defendant charged two post-petition, pre-confirmation property inspections that were 44. added to the Plaintiff's mortgage balance and were not disclosed in its original proof of claim. The Defendant was not entitled to such fees pursuant to 11 U.S.C. § 506.
- The Defendant charged a bankruptcy legal fee on September 23, 2002, that were added to 45. the Plaintiff's mortgage balance and were not disclosed in its original proof of claim. The Defendant was not entitled to such fees pursuant to 11 U.S.C. § 506.

- The defendant charged an \$85 Broker Price Opinion that was added to the Plaintiff's 46. mortgage balance and that was not disclosed on the post-petition claim filed by the Defendant on November 1, 2004, in accordance with the Consent Order modifying the chapter 13 plan. Pursuant to 11 U.S.C. § 506, the Defendant was not entitled to the legal
- The Defendant charged a \$550 Bankruptcy Attorney Fee that was added to the Plaintiff's 47. mortgage balance that was not disclosed on the post-petition claim filed by the Defendant on November 1, 2004, in accordance with the Consent Order modifying the chapter 13 plan. Pursuant to 11 U.S.C. § 506, the Defendant was not entitled to the legal fee.
- Although the Defendant elected to participate in the Plaintiff's chapter 13 plan, by filing 48. proofs of claims, the Defendant has systematically charged hidden and undisclosed fees and costs in contravention of the Bankruptcy code and in defiance of the Bankruptcy Court's Order allowing fees. Furthermore, because of its undersecured status, the Defendant is not entitled to such fees.
- The Plaintiff asserts, upon information and belief, that the actions alleged herein are acts in 49. violation of 11 U.S.C. §506, that the fees charged by the Defendant were not part of the underlying agreement by and between the Plaintiff and the Defendant, and that the fees and costs are otherwise unreasonable and excessive.
- As a result of the above violation, the Defendant is liable to the Plaintiff for actual damages, 50. punitive damages and legal fees.

#### **COUNT IV**

# INHERENT & STATUTORY CONTEMPT POWERS PURSUANT TO 11 U.S.C. § 105 IMPROPER AND UNDISCLOSED FEES IN EXCESS OF AMOUNT IN PROOF OF CLAIMS AND IN CONTRAVENTION OF COURT ORDER

- The Plaintiff adopts and incorporates paragraphs 1 through 50 as if fully set out herein. 51.
- The Plaintiff seeks to invoke the Courts inherent and statutory contempt powers pursuant to 52. 11 U.S.C. § 105 to enforce the provisions of Title 11, to wit: the Consent Order modifying the Plaintiff's chapter 13 plan dated October 14, 2004.
- The Court has inherent contempt powers to carry out "Court Orders." 53.
- 11 U.S.C. § 105 grants the Court statutory powers to "issue any order, process or 54. judgement that is necessary or appropriate to carry out the provisions" of Title 11.
- The Defendant filed two proof of claims that purport to contain all arrears the plaintiff owed 55. the defendant as of the claim date.

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- 56. The Defendant, with complete disregard for the Court's power, and in contravention of the Bankruptcy Code, charged numerous legal fees, other fees and charges that were not disclosed and which were far in excess of the fees disclosed in the proof of claims.
- 57. The Defendant, in complete disregard for the Court Order dated October 14, 2004, charged legal fees in excess of the amount allowed by the Court in its Order modifying the Plaintiff's Chapter 13 plan.
- 58. The Defendant's actions by charging post-petition legal fees and expenses as alleged herein without prior notice or court approval constitutes willful, intentional, gross and flagrant violations of the provisions of 11 U.S.C. §105.
- 59. As a result of the above violation, the Defendant is liable to the Plaintiff for actual damages, punitive damages and legal fees.

WHEREFORE, the Plaintiff has set forth his claims for relief against the Defendant respectfully prays of the court as follows:

- A. That the Plaintiff have and recover against the Defendant a sum to be determined by the court in the form of actual damages;
- B. That the Plaintiff have and recover against the Defendant a sum to be determined by the court in the form of punitive damages;
- C. That the Plaintiff have and recover against the Defendant all reasonable legal fees and expenses incurred by their attorney; and,

D. That the Plaintiff have such other and further relief as the court may deem just and proper.

Respectfully submitted this

day of

2006.

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EXHIBIT "Q"

# UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT MIDDLE DISTRICT OF ALABAMA

In re

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Chapter 13

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JIMMY D. SAYLOR,

Adv. Pro. No. 06-8035

Plaintiff,

v.

SELECT PORTFOLIO SERVICING, INC.

Defendant.

# ORDER OF DISMISSAL

For the reasons set forth in this Court's Memorandum Decision of this date, the Plaintiff's Amended Complaint is DISMISSED WITH PREJUDICE.

Done this the 12th day of January, 2007.

/s/ William R. Sawyer United States Bankruptcy Judge EXHIBIT "R"

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Defendant.

# MEMORANDUM DECISION

This Adversary Proceeding is before the Court upon the Motion to Dismiss filed by Defendant Select Portfolio Servicing, Inc. (Docs. 7, 11, 13 18). The Plaintiff amended his complaint in an effort to defeat the Motion to Dismiss and has filed a memorandum. (Docs. 12, 17). For the reasons set forth below, the Motion to Dismiss is GRANTED.

### I. FACTS

On April 29, 2002, Plaintiff Jimmy Saylor filed a petition in bankruptcy pursuant to Chapter 13 of the Bankruptcy Code. (Case No. 02-80576, Doc. 1). On September 18, 2002, this Court confirmed Saylor's Chapter 13 Plan. (Case No. 02-80576, Doc. 28). On September 10, 2004, Select Portfolio filed a motion for relief from the automatic stay, alleging that Saylor had defaulted in his obligation to make his monthly mortgage payments. (Case No. 02-80576, Doc.

31). On October 14, 2004, the Court entered an Agreed Order resolving the issues raised in Select Portfolio's motion. (Case No. 02-80576, Doc. 33). The Agreed Order fixed the amount of the mortgage delinquency and provided that Select Portfolio could assess attorney's fees under the provisions of the mortgage in the amount of \$600.00. (Id.). On September 8, 2006, this Court entered an Order of Discharge. (Case No. 02-80576, Doc. 69).

On July 10, 2006, Saylor filed a complaint initiating this Adversary Proceeding. (Doc. 1). Saylor amended his complaint on October 26, 2006. (Doc. 17). The gist of Saylor's Amended Complaint is that Select Portfolio improperly assessed a number of fees to his account, between June 7, 2002 and May 18, 2006, totaling \$2,091.05. Saylor filed a four-count complaint alleging that these assessments were made in violation of several provisions of the Bankruptcy Code.

# II. CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

This Adversary Proceeding is before the Court on Select Portfolio's Motion to Dismiss, which is governed by the provisions of Rule 7012, FED. R. BANKR. P., and Rule 12(b)(6), FED. R. CIV. P. "A motion to dismiss is only granted when the movant demonstrates 'beyond doubt that the plaintiff can prove no set of facts in support of his claim which would entitle him to relief." Harper v. Blockbuster Entm't Corp., 139 F.3d 1385, 1387 (11th Cir. 1998) (quoting Conley v. Gibson, 355 U.S. 41, 45-46 (1957)). The Court will discuss each count of the complaint separately.

# A. Count I: The Automatic Stay

In Count I of the Amended Complaint, Saylor alleges that Select Portfolio violated the automatic stay when it assessed the charges to his account. Specifically, Saylor cites 11 U.S.C. §

362(a)(3). This section imposes a stay of "any act to obtain possession of property of the estate or of property from the estate or to exercise control over property of the estate." Id. In his complaint, Saylor alleges nothing more than the fact that Select Portfolio made charges to his account. These charges are nothing more than book entries on the records of Select Portfolio, which Saylor is of course free to dispute. However, the imposition of a charge on an existing mortgage account, in and of itself, is not an act to obtain possession of property. See Mann v. Chase Manhattan Mortgage Corp., 316 F.3d 1, 3 (1st Cir. 2003) (holding that the post-petition bookkeeping entries by the defendant "did not implicate Bankruptcy Code § 362(a)(3), since such unilateral accruals of amounts assertedly due . . . plainly are not the sort of 'act' Congress sought to proscribe"). To be sure, if Saylor does not pay or dispute the charges, Select Portfolio may ultimately foreclose its mortgage. Although the foreclosure of a mortgage while the automatic stay is in effect would undoubtedly constitute a violation of the stay, it does not follow that the imposition of a charge in and of itself would violate the automatic stay. The Court concludes that the imposition of the disputed charges here did not violate the automatic stay.

# B. Count II: Sections 105 and 501

Section 501 of the Bankruptcy Code deals with the allowance of proofs of claim and section 105 deals with the power of a Bankruptcy Court to issue orders necessary or appropriate to carry out the provisions of the Bankruptcy Code. The harm Saylor claims to have suffered did not in any way impinge upon Section 501 of the Bankruptcy Code. Saylor's claim that these sections have somehow been violated is without merit.

# C. Count III: Sections 105 and 506

In Count III of the Amended Complaint, Saylor alleges that these charges violate section 506 of the Bankruptcy Code, which deals with the allowance of secured claims. The United States Court of Appeals for the Eleventh Circuit rejected that argument in Telfair v. First Union Mortgage Corp., 216 F.3d 1333, 1340 (11th Cir. 2000) (holding that post-confirmation charges to a mortgagee's account are not governed by the provisions section 506).

## D. Count IV: Contempt

In Count IV of the Amended Complaint, Saylor alleges that the charges in question were made in violation of this Court's Order of October 14, 2004. That Order provides, in part, that:

> The Debtor's post-petition arrearage due Select Servicing/IMCC in the amount of \$2,818.44, which represents the payments due for May, 2004, through and including the September 2004 payments, plus attorney's fees/costs and Court costs in the amount of \$600.00, is to be included by the Debtor in the Debtor's plan.

(Case No. 02-80576, Doc. 33). There is nothing in this Court's October 14, 2004 Order which suggests that the \$600.00 fee is the only charge that may be made to Saylor's account for all times. To be sure, the Order fixes the amount of the fee for the actions taken in conjunction with the September 10, 2004 motion. However, charges for other items are not precluded by the October 14, 2004 Order. To put the matter differently, Select Portfolio is not precluded from making any charges, except those that were actually litigated or settled, which in this case was the attorney's fee for bringing the September 10, 2004 motion. Saylor's claim that the charges in question are precluded by the terms of the October 14, 2004 Order is without merit.

## E. Jurisdiction

It appears that the real dispute here is whether the charges to Saylor's account are proper under the terms of his mortgage. This is a straight-forward question involving State law issues concerning the construction and operation of a contract. Saylor strains mightily to cast his claim in a bankruptcy context, but his efforts ultimately fail. This is not to say that Saylor may not ultimately be correct in his assertion that the charges are excessive, improper or unlawful. Rather, that is a question for another Court on another day.

In general terms, a Bankruptcy Court has jurisdiction to determine questions pertaining to the bankruptcy estate and the effect of the Debtor's discharge. The bankruptcy estate ceased to exist some time ago. Saylor's home ceased to be property of the estate on September 18, 2002, when the Debtor's Plan was confirmed. See Telfair, 216 F.3d at 1340 (holding that the "estate transformation approach" is the law of this Circuit, meaning that property not necessary to the fulfillment of the plan returns to the debtor upon confirmation). Moreover, Saylor's complaint does not raise any questions pertinent to his discharge. While Saylor has not plead his claim in terms of a breach of contract, even if he had, the Court would dismiss it for want of subject matter jurisdiction. See Shortsleeve v. Centurytel of Ala., LLC (In re Shortsleeve), 349 B.R. 297, 300 (Bankr. M.D. Ala. 2006) (dismissing a case brought under the Fair Debt Collection Practices Act, because it would not have any effect on the bankruptcy estate). Select Portfolio argues in its Supplemental Brief that Saylor has alleged a State law cause of action and attempted to dress it up as a bankruptcy proceeding. (Doc. 18). This Court shares that view.

# III. CONCLUSION

Taking all of the factual allegations in the Plaintiff's Amended Complaint as true, the Court finds that it fails to allege a claim for which this Court may grant relief. For this reason, the Amended Complaint is DISMISSED WITH PREJUDICE.

Done this the 12th day of January, 2007.

/s/ William R. Sawyer United States Bankruptcy Judge EXHIBIT "S"

# IN THE UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT FOR THE MIDDLE DISTRICT OF ALABAMA EASTERN DIVISION

IN RE:	) BANKRUPTCY CASE NO.:
JIMMY D. SAYLOR, & TAMMIE M. SAYLOR,	) 02-80576 )
Debtors,	) CHAPTER 13 CASE ************************************
JIMMY D. SAYLOR,	)
Plaintiff,	)
vs.	) A.P. NO.: 06-8035
SELECT PORTFOLIO SERVICING, INC.,	)
Defendant.	j

# PLAINTIFF'S MOTION TO ALTER OR AMEND JUDGMENT AND REQUEST FOR ORAL ARGUMENT

Comes now the Plaintiff, by and through the undersigned attorney, and moves this Honorable Court to alter or amend its order of January 12, 2007, dismissing the above-styled adversary proceeding with prejudice. The Plaintiff presents this motion pursuant to Rule 59 of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure which is applicable to this matter pursuant to Rule 9023 of the Federal Rules of Bankruptcy Procedure.

The Plaintiff requests this Honorable Court to reinstate the above-styled adversary proceeding as active, permit the Plaintiff to proceed with discovery and allow the Plaintiff an opportunity to prove the allegations in his complaint. As grounds for this motion, the Plaintiff states as follows:

# I. PROCEDURAL BACKGROUND

- The Plaintiff, Jimmy D. Saylor, as Debtor, filed a Chapter 13 bankruptcy petition on April 29, 1. 2002.
- On September 10, 2004, the Defendant sought relief from the automatic stay. 2.
- On September 18, 2002, this Honorable Court confirmed the Plaintiff's original Chapter 13 3. plan.

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- On October 14, 2004, this Honorable Court confirmed the Plaintiff's Amended Chapter 13 4. plan which resolved the Defendant's motion for relief from stay.
- In the order modifying the Debtors' Chapter 13 plan, this Honorable Court allowed the 5. Defendant to assess attorney fees for bringing the motion for relief from stay in the amount of \$450, plus \$150 court costs.
- On July 10, 2006, the Plaintiff filed the instant adversary proceeding alleging violations of 6. the automatic stay, violations of court order, violation of §105 and 501, violation of §501 and 506, and civil contempt.
- On August 10, 2006, the Defendant filed a motion to dismiss pursuant to F.R.B.P. 7. 7012(b)(6) alleging that the Plaintiff failed to state sufficient legal grounds upon which relief could be granted.
- On January 12, 2007, this Honorable Court dismissed the instant complaint with prejudice. 8.

# II. ARGUMENT AND ANALYSIS IN SUPPORT OF PLAINTIFF'S MOTION TO ALTER OR AMEND JUDGMENT

- This matter is before this Honorable Court on the Defendant's Rule 7012(b)(6) Motion To 9. Dismiss. As such, the Plaintiff has been afforded no opportunity to conduct discovery or gather evidence to refute the Defendant's assertions contained primarily in its brief in support of the motion to dismiss.
- This Honorable Court must accept all of the facts in the Plaintiff's complaint as true and 10. construe them in the light most favorable to the Plaintiff. Franklin v. Gwinnett County Pub. Schs., 911 F.2d 617, 619 (11th Cir. 1990). Furthermore, this Court should not dismiss the Plaintiff's complaint unless he "can prove no set of facts that would entitle him to relief." Hoffman-Pugh v. Ramsey, 312 F.3d 1222, 1225 (11th Cir. 2002).
- In dismissing the Plaintiff's complaint, this Honorable Court reaches certain conclusions 11. from facts that are simply not in evidence. Instead, this Honorable Court must accept the facts as true and simply make a determination, pursuant to Rule 7012(b)(6), whether the complaint contains actionable facts. Robertson v. Johnston, 376 F.2d 43 (5th Cir.1967) ("[W]e must read the allegations of the complaint to include any theory on which the plaintiffs may recover ....").
- In essence, the Plaintiff's complaint contains two theories. First, the Plaintiff alleges that 12. the Defendant violated the automatic stay. Second, the Plaintiff alleges that the Defendant violated various Court Orders which is actionable pursuant to 11 U.S.C. § 105.
- In accordance with the law regarding Rule 7012(b)(6) motions, the only inquiries by this 13. Honorable Court are: (1) Whether violation of the Automatic Stay is actionable; and (2) whether violation of this Honorable Court Orders are actionable? Stated another way, does the Plaintiff present a cause of action under §§ 362 & 105? If so, the Court must deny the Rule 7012(b)(6) Motion To Dismiss.

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## A. ARGUMENT REGARDING VIOLATION OF AUTOMATIC STAY AS IT PERTAINS TO COUNT I OF THE PLAINTIFF'S AMENDED COMPLAINT

- This Honorable Court must accept the plaintiff's complaint as true that the Defendant 14. exercised control over estate property thereby violating the automatic stay.
- In its memorandum decision, this Honorable Court concludes that the Plaintiff "alleges 15. nothing more than the fact that Select Portfolio made charges to his account." Memorandum opinion at p. 3. This Honorable Court goes on to conclude that "[t]hese charges are nothing more than book entries on the records of Select Portfolio...." Id. at p.
- In reality, the Plaintiff's Amended Complaint makes numerous references to violation of the 16. Automatic Stay.
- Count I of the Amended Complaint is styled: "VIOLATION OF THE AUTOMATIC STAY" 17.
- Paragraph 23 states that the Defendant imposed improper, unauthorized and unapproved 18. fees and that the imposition of such constitutes violation of the automatic stay.
- "Impose" is defined as "To Levy or exact as by authority." Black's Law Dictionary 680 (5th 19. ed. 1979)
- "Levy" is defined as "A seizure." "The obtaining of money ..." Id. at 816. 20.
- No matter what choice of verbs used in the Plaintiff's complaint, it is clear that the Plaintiff 21. stated a cause of action for the Defendant's Violation of the Automatic Stay.
- Because the Plaintiff was never allowed to conduct discovery, there is no evidence to 22. suggest that these charges are merely book entries. At this stage of the litigation, this Honorable Court must assume that these charges are more (emphasis added) than book entries. That is, this Honorable Court must assume that the fees were in fact "imposed" and the Defendant exercised control over the estate property.
- In its memorandum decision, this Honorable Court relies on the First Circuit rule that 23. bookkeeping entries do not implicate the bankruptcy code. Memorandum decision at p. 3 citing Mann v. Chase Manhattan Mortg. Corp., 316 F.3d 1 (1st Cir. 2003).
- Unlike Mann, the Plaintiff has had no opportunity to conduct discovery as to the 24. Defendant's bookkeeping procedures or to question the Defendant as to distribution of payments throughout the Chapter 13 bankruptcy case.
- In the Mann decision, the trial court allowed Mann to conduct discovery and inquire as to 25. Chase's record-keeping procedures and imposition of charges. Mann 316 F. 3d at 3; ("following discovery, (emphasis added) Chase submitted its motion for summary judgment...).

- 26. There is no evidence before this Honorable Court to indicate that the charges by the Defendant are merely "book entries." Instead, this Court must assume that the charges were imposed and that the Defendant exercised control over estate property.
- In his brief, arguing against the motion to dismiss, Saylor submitted a transaction history, from the Defendant, outlining certain bookkeeping entries.
- 28. In the attached Affidavit from Kevin Byers, C.P.A., Byers explains that the Defendant paid itself \$617.35, from apparent Chapter 13 Trustee payments, to pay down the corporate advance balances which were alleged to be nothing more than bookkeeping entries. Byers' Affidavit at \$1 1 & 12, p.2.
- 29. That is, the evidence seems to suggest that the Defendant, rather than making bookkeeping entries, actually paid itself four (4) undisclosed pre-confirmation charges to the Plaintiff's mortgage balance.
- 30. Also attached to the Plaintiff's brief in response to the Defendant's motion to dismiss was a payoff statement submitted by the Defendant.
- 31. Although the Defendant attempts to argue that the charges were mere bookkeeping entries, the payoff statement directly contradicts the Defendant's assertion.
- 32. This Honorable Court, in its memorandum decision, held that the Defendant was not attempting to exercise control over estate property.
- 33. The payoff statement directly contradicts this Honorable Court's holding.
- 34. The payoff statement, issued by the Defendant, when viewed in the light most favorable to the Plaintiff, constitutes an act to exercise control over property of the bankruptcy estate.
- 35. Merriam-Webster defines payoff as, "The act or occasion of receiving money or material gain...." Merriam-Webster online dictionary.
- 36. Merriam-Webster further defines payoff as, "A decisive fact or factor resolving a situation or bringing about a definitive conclusion." Merriam-Webster online dictionary.
- 37. When viewed in the light most favorable to the Plaintiff, the Plaintiff's automatic stay violation allegations provides sufficient facts to permit this Honorable Court to amend its judgment and allow the Plaintiff to proceed with the adversary proceeding.

# B. ARGUMENT REGARDING VIOLATION OF COURT ORDER AS IT PERTAINS TO COUNT II AND COUNT III

- 38. Pursuant to 11 U.S.C. §501, the Defendant filed two (2) separate proofs of claim.
- 39. 11 U.S.C. §502(a) provides that the proof of claim filed under §501 is deemed allowed.
- 40. By filing two (2) separate proof of claims, the Defendant opted to participate in the Plaintiff's Chapter 13 bankruptcy case.

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- 41. 11 U.S.C. §101(5)(A) defines claim as a "right to payment, whether or not such right is reduced to judgment, liquidated, unliquidated, fixed, contingent, matured, unmatured, disputed, undisputed, legal, equitable, secured, or unsecured...."
- When the Defendant opted to participate in the Plaintiff's Chapter 13 bankruptcy case, 11 U.S.C. §§501 and 502 provides a claim mechanism for the Defendant to submit all of its alleged contractual delinquent payments so as to cure the delinquency but also to allow the Plaintiff/Debtor to review and object to the claims if necessary.
- 43. Neither § 501 nor § 502 permit the creditor to pick and choose which charges to be paid by estate property and which charges will be collected at a later time.
- 44. As evidenced by the Kevin Byers, C.P.A., Affidavit, there is at least evidence which arguably suggests that the Defendant has also diverted Chapter 13 payments for undisclosed prepetition charges.
- The filling and allowance of pre-petition and post-petition claims are governed by 11 U.S.C. §§ 501 and 502. The payment of said claims were governed by this Court's Order confirming the Chapter 13 Plan and this Court's Order Confirming the Modified Plan.
- The Plaintiff's complaint alleges that the Defendant violated Court Orders by charging fees related to pre-petition charges that were not disclosed and post-petition charges for the Motion for Relief from Stay that were not disclosed.
- 47. The Court must accept as true that the Defendant violated this Honorable Court's Order.
- Violation of a Court Order is actionable pursuant to 11 U.S.C. § 105. Hardy v. United States by & Through IRS (In re Hardy), 97 F.3d 1384, 1389 (11th Cir. 1996) citing Jove Engg v. IRS, 92 F.3d 1539, 1554 (11th Cir. 1996) (The language of § 105 encompasses "any type of order, whether injunctive, compensative or punitive, as long as it is "necessary or appropriate to carry out the provisions of the Bankruptcy Code."); E.g. Jove Engg v. IRS, 92 F.3d 1539, 1554 (11th Cir. 1996) citing United States v. Nordic Village, 503 U.S. 30 (U.S. 1992) (Section 105(a) states "the court may issue any order, process or judgment that is necessary or appropriate to carry out the provisions of this title." 11 U.S.C. § 105(a) (emphasis added). [Section] 105 uses the broad term "any" which encompasses all forms of orders including those that award monetary relief. The term "any" should be given this broad construction under the "settled ruled that a statute must, if possible, be construed in such fashion that every word has some operative effect.").
- 49. In dismissing Count III of the Plaintiff's amended complaint, this Honorable Court relies on the decision of <u>Telfair v. First Union Mortgage Corp.</u>, 216 F.3d 1333 (11<sup>th</sup> Cir. 2000).
- 50. The <u>Telfair</u> holding, regarding the viability of a §506 claim, is legally and factually dissimilar from the instant case.
- 51. In <u>Telfair</u>, the court dealt with the allowance of attorney fees for an over-secured claim.

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52. In the instant case, as evidenced by the Plaintiff's Schedule A, the Defendant's claim is under-secured.

# C. ARGUMENT REGARDING COURT'S STATUTORY CONTEMPT POWERS AS IT PERTAINS TO COUNT IV

- 53. In its memorandum decision, this Honorable Court noted that the order confirming the Debtor's modified Chapter 13 plan fixed the sum of \$600.00 as the attorney fees and court costs in connection with the Defendant's September 10, 2004, motion for relief from stay.
- 54. The Plaintiff's complaint asserts that the Defendant, in connection with the Motion For Relief From Stay, charged an attorney fee in excess of the amount fixed by This Honorable Court's Order dated October 14, 2004.
- 55. This Honorable Court must accept as true the allegations in the complaint. That is, the Defendant did in fact charge excess attorney fees for the Motion For Relief From Stay in violation of this Honorable Court's October 14, 2004 Order.
- 56. In regards to Rule 7012(b)(6), the only legal question before this Court is whether violation of a Court Order is actionable?
- The Eleventh Circuit previously answered this question stating unequivocally that violation of a Court Order is actionable pursuant to 11 U.S.C. § 105. Hardy v. United States by & Through IRS (In re Hardy), 97 F.3d 1384, 1389 (11th Cir. 1996) citing Jove Engg v. IRS, 92 F.3d 1539, 1554 (11th Cir. 1996) (The language of § 105 encompasses "any type of order, whether injunctive, compensative or punitive, as long as it is "necessary or appropriate to carry out the provisions of the Bankruptcy Code.")
- 58. The Plaintiff's complaint alleges that the Defendant charged the Plaintiff attorney fees, in connection with the September 10, 2004, motion, in an amount in excess of those fees allowed by this Honorable Court.
- 59. The Defendant's payoff statement provides further evidence of an affirmative act by the Defendant to collect certain sums labeled corporate advances. As part of the corporate advances, there are sums noted on the transaction history which are in excess of the amount allowed by this Honorable Court in its October 14, 2004, order confirming the Debtors' modified Chapter 13 plan.
- 60. The complaint merely asserts that a <u>portion</u> (emphasis added) of the corporate advances are attorney fees in excess of that allowed by this Honorable Court in its October 14, 2004, order

WHEREFORE, the Plaintiff moves this Honorable Court to set this matter for oral arguments, after oral arguments to enter an order altering or amending its January 12, 2007, order dismissing the above-styled adversary proceeding with prejudice, to reinstate the adversary proceeding, to permit discovery, and for all other relief that is just.

Respectfully submitted this \_\_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_, 200

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## **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I, the undersigned, hereby certify that I have this date served a copy of the foregoing upon Select Portfolio Servicing, Inc., Michael 5. Bybee, Attorney for Defendant, via electronic mail at <a href="mbybee1@bellsouth.net">mbybee1@bellsouth.net</a>, this <a href="mbybee1@bellsouth.net">mbybee1@bellsouth.net</a>, this <a href="mbybee1">mbybee1@bellsouth.net</a>, this <a href="mbybee1">mbybee1@bellsouth.net</a>, this <a href="mbybee1">mbybee1@bellsouth.net</a>, this <a href="mbybee1">mbybee1@bellsouth.net</a>, this <a href="mbybee1">mbybee1</a>.

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## IN THE UNITED STATE BANKRUPTCY COURT FOR THE MIDDLE DISTRICT OF ALABAMA EASTERN DIVISION

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## AFFIDAVIT OF KEVIN P. BYERS, CPA

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Kevin P. Byers, CPA first being duly swom, deposes and says that:

- I am managing member of Parkside Associates, LLC, a forensic accounting firm located in Atlanta, Georgia. I am a licensed Certified Public Accountant in the Commonwealth of Virginia. I am over 18 years of age and am competent to give this Affidavit. The information contained in this Affidavit is within my personal knowledge.
- I have been provided with the following documents by David Poston, Esq. regarding mortgagors Jimmy D. and Tammie M. Saylor and their loan, SPS #3006962033: Jimmy D. Saylor v. Select Portfolio Servicing. Inc., Plaintiff's First Amended Complaint filed October 26, 2006; Pre-Petition Arrearage Proof of Claim filed August 2, 2002 by Fairbanks Capital Corporation (n/ka/ Select Portfolio Servicing, Inc.); borrower payment history prepared by Select Portfolio Servicing, Inc. ("SPS") for transaction dates of November 7, 1997 to May 24, 2006; Payoff Statement dated May 25, 2006 from Select Portfolio Servicing, Inc. for mortgagor Jimmy David Saylor. Mr. Poston has asked me to evaluate these documents regarding the posting and payment of pre- and post-petition corporate advances.

3. The Proof of Claim filed by SPS on August 2, 2002 totals \$3,225.22, consisting of the following amounts per SPS:

Pre-Petition Arrearage \$2,325.22
Pre-Petition Collection Fees/Costs \$500.00
Attorney's Fees/Costs (proof of claim) \$400.00

The payment history provided by SPS indicates that the \$2,325.22 "pre-petition arrearage" reflected on the Proof of Claim consists of four (4) monthly payments of \$569.29 each, one late charge of \$28.46, and other fees of \$19.60, an amount that is not itemized on the payment history.

- 4. The \$500.00 "pre-petition collection fees/costs" are itemized on the payment history as "Foreclosure Atty. Fees" and were posted to the Corporate Advance account of the Savior's loan on July 9, 2002.
- 5. The \$400.00 "Attorney's Fees/Costs (proof of claim)" are itemized on the payment history as "Bankruptcy Attorney Fees" and "Bankruptcy Legal Costs" and were posted to the Corporate Advance account of the Saylor's loan in two installments of \$200.00 each on July 31, 2002.
- 6. In residential mortgage loan servicing, Corporate Advance accounts are used to track advances by loan servicers typically made to third-party vendors for services such as legal fees, property inspections, and property valuations, and reimbursement of such advances by the respective borrower(s).
- As of the Saylor's Chapter 13 petition date of April 29, 2002, the payment history reflects a Corporate Advance balance purportedly owed by the borrowers of \$606.00.
- 8. Between the Chapter 13 filing date of April 29, 2002 and the filing of the Proof of Claim on August 2, 2002, additional servicer advances of \$922.70 were posted to the Corporate Advance account by SPS, including the \$500.00 and \$400.00 requested on the Proof of Claim.
- Beginning with the transaction date of March 10, 2003, SPS began posting Bankruptcy Trustee payments to the "Unapplied Funds" account.
- 10. Beginning with the transaction date of March 11, 2003, SPS began removing Trustee payments that had been posted to the "Unapplied Funds" account and applying these funds to pay down the Corporate Advance balance.
- 11. Through December 3, 2003, a total of \$617.35 in Trustee payments were posted to the "Unapplied Funds" account and removed to pay down the balance in the Corporate Advance account.
- 12. None of the \$617.35 that SPS reimbursed itself is reflected on the Proof of Claim.

13. I have read the foregoing Affidavit of 3 typewritten pages and swear that it is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Kevin P. Byers, CPA

Swom to and subscribed before me this 49 day of January, 2007.

Notary for the State of Georgia
My Commission Expires 0340000

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# UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT MIDDLE DISTRICT OF ALABAMA

In re

Case No. 02-80576-WRS Chapter 7

JIMMY D. SAYLOR TAMMIE M. SAYLOR,

Debtors

JIMMY D. SAYLOR,

Plaintiff

Adv. Pro. No. 06-8035-WRS

SELECT PORTFOLIO SERVICING INC.,

Defendant

# ORDER DENYING MOTION TO RECONSIDER

For the reasons set forth on the record on February 13, 2007, on the plaintiff's motion to reconsider (Doc. 21), it is

ORDERED that the motion to reconsider is DENIED.

Done this 14th day of February, 2007.

/s/ William R. Sawyer United States Bankruptcy Judge

c: David G. Poston, Attorney for Plaintiff Michel E. Bybee, Attorney for Defendant